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As They Look Out to Sea.

How two women standing on a hill
That looked out toward the sea. The face of one
Was worn and seamed with care, yet calm and still
Like one whose work is done.

The other's was young and fresh and fair,
And yet within her heart there seemed to be
Some sorrow giving her a pensive air
As she looked out to sea.

They looked not at the wind-blown flowers that lay
About their feet, but followed with their eyes
A stately vessel, sailing on her way,
Where billows fall and rise.

The maiden, though her face bespoke her grief
At parting from her lover, yet seemed fain
To lull her sorrows with the fond belief
That they would meet again.

But so the other, for her trembling lip
Told that she thought that she had lost her son;
That ere again those waters knew her ship
Her life's voyage would be done.

They waved their kerchiefs, hoping they could see
An answering signal from the vessel's deck;
Then watched the ship until it seemed to be
Only a distant speck.

They watched it out of sight, then turned away
With heavy step and heavier hearts, and hands
Locked in each other's, while the twilight gray
Settled upon the lands.

And as they slowly took their homeward path
From either heart went up a silent prayer
That heaven would arrest the tempest wrath,
And one dear sailor spare.

Ship! receding 'twixt the waves and skies,
Swift be thy going, swift thy coming be;
Gladdening his mother's and his sweetheart's eyes,
As they look out to sea.

—*New York Ledger.*

NEWS SUMMARY.

The Earl of Shaftesbury is dead.

Fearful rains are prevailing in Florida.

This fall the President will probably visit Richmond, Va.

Two hundred Piegan Indians are out on the war-path in Montana.

Senator Blair says his educational bill will be re-introduced in the Senate.

On one day last week there were forty deaths in Montreal from small pox.

A wife-murderer hung at the Ohio penitentiary had his head almost cut off.

A State convention of colored men assembled in Lynchburg, Va., on the 30th ult.

William Heath & Co., stock brokers, of New York, suspended on the 2nd inst.

Bengal, India, has 3,600 square miles of its territory under water from heavy rains.

Gen. Toombs, one of the really great men of Georgia, is said to be failing in mind.

Three or four ocean steamers are expected in Wilmington during this and next week.

Vessels arriving at the port of Wilmington last Thursday and Friday report heavy gales outside.

C. S. Adams, the cashier of a Boston savings bank, stole $228,000 and then killed himself.

Marshal Clements, the murderer of his brother and brother's wife, was lynched at Saguache, Colorado.

The owners of a schooner have named it after one of the cleverest men in Wilmington—Col. Roger Moore.

The proposed reorganization of the Civil Service Commission was considered in a Cabinet council on the 1st inst.

One of the buildings of the insane asylum at Warm Springs, Montana, burned; three inmates perished in the flames.

A carriage was struck by a railroad train at Chambersburg, Pa.; a small boy was killed and another fatally injured.

A locomotive struck an omnibus at New Britain, Conn., and the driver and two little children were fatally injured.

The public debt reduction for September is over twelve and a half millions; the total debt is still nearly one billion and a half.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s agency reports, for the quarter ended Sept. 30, 1885, 2,176 failures in the United States and Canadas.

In five years the South has increased its productions $200,000,000. As John Sherman has not been Secretary of the Treasury during that time he cannot account for it.

Dr. W. W. Myers, a well-known physician of Pittsburg, Penn., has been arrested charged with raising a promissory note from $125 to $925, and forging a note for the same amount.

The monster petition of the Salvation Army regarding the protection of girls, recently presented to the English Parliament, was two miles six hundred yards and one foot long, and bore upward of 303,000 signatures.

The Republicans of Massachusetts have nominated Robinson for Governor and Ames for Lieut-Governor. Hoar, the chairman of the convention in his speech followed the lead of Sherman and waved the "bloody."

The Central Park board of New York is very much worried at the crumbling of the Egyptian obelisk. It is said to be due to the severity of our winters. Scientists are trying to devise some way to prevent it.

A dispatch from Whydah says it is reported that the commander of a Portuguese gunboat arranged to buy 1,200 slaves from the king of Dahomey to work on cotton plantations at St. Thomas, an island in the gulf of Guinea belonging to Portugal.

Buddensiek, the New York architect who was recently sentenced to the penitentiary for building houses which almost invariably fell down and killed their occupants, has been admitted to bail. The New York papers denounce this action as a public scandal.

A Washington dispatch to the New York *Times* under date of September 29, says: "Prof. Gregory, of the civil service commission, had an interview with the President to-day. It is expected that his resignation will be ready within a few days. The indications are that an entirely new commission will be announced as soon as the resignation of Commissioner Thomas is received."

A DEADLY ENCOUNTER.

Shooting Down a Virginia Editor for an Article in His Paper.

Correspondence of Philadelphia Times.

ABINGDON, VA., Sept. 28, 1885.—The first blood of the campaign was shed here yesterday in a street fight which took place between Dr. W. White, the independent candidate for the State Senate in this district, and Judge G. W. Ward, the editor of the *Examiner*, of this place, and one of the most prominent Democrats in the southwest, in which Ward received nine wounds. The affair has caused the most intense interest throughout this section of the State. The campaign had already opened pretty lively, and the bloody affair only serves to intensify it.

In the editorial columns of Ward's paper of the 26th inst. appeared the following, among other articles:

The ..... that goes into a convention and seeks the support of the convention, and then runs with out any valid reasons against the nominee of the convention, would steal the coppers off of the eyes of a dead negro; and how a man can honorably seek the nomination of the Democratic party, and because he did not get it become a traitor, ect., etc.

To this language, as well as to another article that appeared in the paper of that date, White took exceptions, and after having read them said to a prominent Democrat on the street on Saturday that he would tolerate no such remarks about himself, and that he intended to punish the man who wrote them. He went to the *Examiner* office and also called at the hotel where Ward boarded, and was told that Ward had left for Charlottesville on Thursday night and would not be back until Sunday or Monday morning. Ward's friends say that he was unexpectedly called to Charlottesville on urgent business that required immediate attention and he had to go.

THE ASSASSINS WAITING FOR HIM.

On Sunday morning Ward took the Norfork and Western train at Lynchburg for this place. When the train reached Glade Springs a friend of his boarded it and informed Ward that White, with several of his friends, was looking for him. Ward was very cool and remarked, "All right." At 1 o'clock the train reached Abingdon. Ward got off, walked about the depot a few minutes, got into the omnibus and rode to his hotel. At the depot, on the arrival of the train, were a number of gentlemen, and among them two relatives of Dr. White—Graham White, a cousin, and Daniel T. Campbell, his nephew. They were armed and expected to meet the doctor at the train. When Ward left the depot in the omnibus these gentlemen also left, overtaking Dr. White, who was on his way. Nothing unusual occurred at the time. When Ward reached the hotel he went to his room, washed and in a few minutes returned to the office, spoke to two or three friends and passed into the dining room to dinner. At the table he made an engagement with a friend, who was visiting the town, to take a walk in the afternoon.

After dinner he again went to his room and took a nap, and at 4 o'clock went down stairs, passed through the office and went to Gold's drug store, fifty yards distant, remained a few minutes and started back in the direction of the hotel. Just as he reached the steps of the hotel Dr. White and his two relatives, Graham White and Daniel T. Campbell, who were on the opposite side of the street in a shoe store, came out on the sidewalk. Graham White hastily got behind a tree a few feet from the store. Campbell took his position behind a store block and Dr. White stood in front of the store and leveled his double-barreled shot-gun, took deliberate aim and fired upon Ward, shooting him down. This was the first intimation that Ward had that White and his friends were near.

TWELVE SHOTS AND NINE WOUNDS.

Dr. White, after having fired, retreated within the recess of the door, but immediately stepped out on the pavement and fired a second shot. Between the first and second shots Ward, who had fallen to the ground, lying on his left side, with his face downward, rallied, raised himself upon his left elbow and with his right hand pulled his revolver from his coat pocket and fired upon Graham White, supposing that Graham had shot him. Thereupon Graham and Campbell opened fire upon him with pistols. The number of shots fired in all was twelve—two by Dr. White, five by Graham White and five by Daniel T. Campbell and Judge Ward. Ward's wounds are numerous and while very dangerous are not necessarily fatal. One ball entered the abdomen and ranged downward, two in the inner part of the left thigh and one in his *scrotum*. In all he has nine wounds. He is now resting well.

G. V. Litchfield and Dr. Gold carried him to his room. As they reached the second floor of the hotel Judge Ward said; "Lay me down. I am in fearful pain." And when they carried him to his room and laid him upon the bed he said: "I did not think that Dr. White, the damned coward, would have attempted to assassinate me." The representative of this paper called on Dr. White for information in regard to the affair, but he declined to be interviewed, saying that he was advised by his counsel not to make any statement.

Judge Ward is one of the most courageous men in the State. He has been severe in his denunciation of Mahoneism and everything connected with the party. Four years ago he resigned the judgeship of Washington county to fight a duel with some one who had offended him. He has a great many friends in the State, and this fight, it is believed, will be made the fight of party leaders, so far as the courts are concerned.

The will of the late Chauncey Hurlbut, of Detriot, leaves $50,000 to the city authorities for the purpose of improving and beautifying the public park.

LYNCH LAW.

A Terrible Tragedy—A Shocking Sight—Four Negroes Hanged.

From the Chatham Record.

The most horrible lynching that has ever disgraced the State of North Carolina occurred near this place on last Monday night. During that night a band of disguised men took from our county jail and hanged on the same tree, one mile from here, four negroes—three men and one woman. The prisoners were John Pattishall, who was accused of the Gunter murder, and Jerry Finch, Harriet Finch and Lee Tyson, who were charged with the Finch murder. So quietly was the terrible deed executed that the citizens of our town know nothing about it until next morning, when the news of it spread over town like wildfire and created intense excitement. In a short time after the information was received a large number of persons, little and big, black and white, hastened to the scene of the tragedy, and what a sickening sight met their eyes! There on the same tree—a large oak that stands by the side of the McQueen road about 100 yards from where it branches off from the Lockville road just a mile south of here—suspended with ropes around their necks and rigid in death—were four human beings, three men and one woman. An oppressive and solemn silence pervaded the horror-stricken crowd as they gazed upon the shocking scene. The feet of all four victims almost touched the ground. The neck of only one, John Pattishall, seemed to have been broken, the others having been strangled to death. The arms of the woman were tied behind her at the elbows, and John Pattishall's arms were tied at the wrists, but the other two men were not tied, their arms hanging by their sides. It is probable that they were hanged first, and the ropes that tied their arms were taken off and used in tying the others. The eyes of all, except John Pattishall, were shut, and their faces not distorted. They were all hanged at the ends of the limbs—each on a different limb—and the limb from which Jerry was suspended was so small that it was propped up with a long fence rail. No placard or paper writing of any kind was found upon or near any of them. From persons who live in a few hundred yards of the place we learn that they heard an unusual noise during the night, and above all the tumult were heard the shrieks and screams of the woman, Harriet Finch, appealing most piteously for mercy. It is thought that she was the last one hanged, as the mob dispersed soon after her cries ceased.

The sheriff, as soon as he rode out to the scene of the lynching, sent for the coroner, who came, and, summoning a jury, held an inquest. The only witness examined was Mr. Thomas Cross, the jailor, whose testimony, in substance, was as follows: At 10 minutes to 1 o'clock, on Monday night, he was aroused by a knocking and calling at the front door of his residence (about 100 yards from the jail), and upon opening the door he was confronted by about 20 men with disguises on their faces who demanded the jail keys. He refused to surrender them and started back into his bed room, but they followed after him and forced him to give them up. Then they made him put on his clothes and go with them to the jail and unlock the door. At the jail were assembled a great many more men—the crowd altogether being estimated at from 75 to 100—and as soon as the door was opened they seized and tied the four accused murderers and quietly marched them out of town. Very little was said by any one and he did not recognize any of the crowd.

The jury of inquest, after hearing the above evidence, returned a verdict that the deceased came to their deaths at the hands of persons unknown to the jurors. The bodies of the deceased were then taken and buried at the county's expense. As yet no one of the lynching party is known, but it is thought that most of them came from distant parts of the county. Some of them crossed Haw river at Bynum's bridge, some at Moore's bridge and others passed down the road to Lockville.

The London Omnibus.

Correspondence Charleston News and Courier.

The London streets, (except the suburbs) are not cut up with car tracks, but in place of street cars they have a kind of two-story omnibus—larger than the American omnibus and not quite so wide as a street car. It will hold at least twenty inside. At the rear a winding stairway leads up to the roof, where there are seats to accommodate about fifteen or sixteen people. These are occupied by ladies as well as by gentlemen. Two strong horses have no difficulty in pulling this great load over the smoothly-cemented thoroughfares. I find the same thing in Paris also, but there it is even larger than in London. The American rule of the highway, "Keep to the right," is sometimes reversed, and in England the song is there "Ever to the left, boys; ever to the left."

Hacks waiting for customers do not stand by the curb, but are drawn up in line in the middle of the widest streets, such as Holborn or High Holborn streets (pronounced "O'b'n" and "Io'b'n" by the Londoner), the Strand or Regent streets. In the centre of the carriage-way also are large ornamental gas-posts, protected from vehicles by posts set at a radius of about four feet. These form a sort of oasis in the midst of the street, and make convenient retreats for persons hemmed in by vehicles while attempting to cross the streets. In each of these midway oases is a policeman, whose duty it is to see that all vehicles going south keep on the one side and all going north on the other side of this dividing line.

The new building devoted to the State, War and Navy Departments at Washington will cost when completed about $10,500,000. The city hall at Philadelphia will cost about the same thing.

THE VIRGINIA CAMPAIGN.

A Prominent Republican Comes Out for Fitzhugh Lee.

Special to the New York World.

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Sept. 25, 1885.—While John Sherman and Foraker, in Ohio, and John S. Wise and Mahone, in Virginia, are waving the bloody shirt, many leading Republicans of Virginia are quietly making up their minds to vote for Gen. Lee, whose election by a very handsome majority is already assured. They know that no such state of affairs as Sherman and Wise describe exists in the South, and, as a prominent Republican put it, they are ready and willing to take the pledges of the party with Lee at its head.

Among the Republicans who will vote for Lee is J. H. Rives, a long time leader of the party in the State, having been chairman of the Republican committee and collector of revenue in the Lynchburg district. He is a son of ex-United States Judge Rives, whose death occurred last week, and a nephew of Minister Rives, who represented this country at the court of France, and Virginia in the Senate. The Riveses have all been Republicans since the war and leaders of their party. In a conversation here with Judge Watson and other leading Democrats, Col. Rives declared that the Republican party in this State was Republican only in name. The reason for its existence had passed away.

"I desired," said he, "to see the free school system, about which the Mahoneites have so much to say, established on a firm basis. To-day it is established and firmly rooted in popular favor. I point to the city of Lynchburg, my home, a Democratic stronghold, generally regarded as one of the bitterest and most prescriptive cities in the State. One of the largest and handsomest public buildings in that city, heated by steam, and having every other convenience, and capable of holding seven or eight hundred pupils, is the free school for colored children. Of course the whites are equally well provided for, there being other similar buildings in various parts of the city. All this has been accomplished under Democratic boards and Democratic authority. What more can I, as an advocate for free schools, want? I desired to see all restrictions of the right to vote removed. That has been done, and no party desires to see these restrictions replaced.

"Thus everything that made me a Republican has been changed to meet my views. The Democratic party has committed itself to these principles in the two conventions last held, and I know of nothing to make me doubt the sincerity of the party or its leaders. The Republican party in Virginia, as now constituted, possesses nothing in common with the old Republican party, and its sole heritage is its name and the hostile feeling which is generally created by party antagonism. All along it has delighted them to stand on first one foot and then on the other, as suited their audiences, and thus to parade their want of firm opinions and settled convictions. Their creed was: 'I believe in Mahone.'"

Col. Rives said he would vote for Lee with pleasure, as he was perfectly ready to trust him as one whose life of quiet and dignified retirement gives promise of reflection and matured views. "It is not," said he, referring to Wise, "the ready tongue or flippant wit that indicates those elevated traits of mind which enable a man to judge of great public questions with strength and liberality."

The President to Harry.

Washington Letter in San Francisco Post.

"On his recent trip to the woods," slyly remarked a well-known New Yorker today, "the President met an acquaintance, a young widow, whom the gossips have not yet named, but who is undoubtedly nearer his heart than any of the young misses who have been mentioned as his *fiancees*. The meeting was arranged by Dr. Ward, who holds himself responsible for the whole business.

"This widow is about thirty, is given to *embonpoint* and will tip the scales at about 165 pounds. She has no children, and enjoys a comfortable income from a snug little property inherited from her mother. She was in Washington last May and saw the President twice without attracting any attention. There is no doubt that the President and the widow are much interested in each other, but the President is a little shy about telling sister Rose, don't you see?

"The widow belongs to an excellent New York family, but Miss Rose may or may not approve of having the acquaintance continue. The President told an intimate friend confidentially the other evening that he never felt the need of a wife so much as since coming to Washington. The President and Miss Rose are totally unlike in their thoughts and actions, and the latter is wholly absorbed in her literary labors.

"The ladies of Washington would rejoice to see the President wedded to a good wife, but perhaps two or three belles who have set their caps for the President would be sorely disappointed."

"What a grand wedding we will have," exclaimed one of the attaches of the White House, "if this rumor proves true."

The President, by two moves, has become entirely separated from all of his old bachelor companions and has no chance for the delights of club life, as in the old Buffalo days. All his chums of yore are hundreds of miles away, and is it any wonder that the President keenly realizes the utter loneliness of his life? Since the 4th of March the hurly-burly of official life has kept his mind fairly occupied, but it is quieter now, and homesickness can reach even colder hearts than the President's.

According to John R. McLean's estimate, there are 15,000 Republican office-holders in Ohio who won't jostle each other in any mad effort to carry the State for Foraker.

HIGH-PRICED HORSES.

Purchase of the Fastest Team in the World.

From the Philadelphia Times.

Philadelphia can boast now of having the fastest team in the world. The team was purchased by Frank Siddall, of Philadelphia, in New York on last Saturday from J. M. Hill, the theatrical manager. The purchase was made under peculiar circumstances. Mr. Siddall was in New York on a visit, and on Saturday afternoon dropped into Nash & Cook's restaurant, where he was joined by a party of friends, among whom were Amos Cummings, of the *Sun;* William H. Henry, of the *Star;* Colonel J. Armoy Knox, of *Texas Siftings*, and F. C. Bangs, the actor. While at luncheon Mr. Hill strolled in and joined the party. Mr. Siddall, who has coveted the possession of Mr. Hill's famous team of pacers for the past year, began to rally the latter on his reiterated refusal to place a price on the team. After the exchange of a little repartee Mr. Siddall said:

"I have heard you say that you never take a bluff. Now I will wager anything you like that you don't dare fix a price on the team."

Without a moment's hesitation Mr. Hill replied:

"You can have the team for $50,000."

With equal alacrity Mr. Siddall whipped out a check book, and, calling for pen and ink, wrote off a check for that amount and passed it over to Mr. Hill.

"Now," he said, "the team is mine at last, and I wish you would be good enough to telegraph your trainer at Chicago to bring them on to New York immediately."

Mr. Hill fingered the check in a dazed sort of way, and when the party, who had watched the proceedings with wide-open eyes, broke into a roar of laughter he shook himself together, and, forcing a smile, said:

"Well, as Mr. Siddall said, I never took a bluff, but this time I have been taken in on my own bluff."

The team which Mr. Siddall has coveted so long and finally obtained by a banter, is considered the fastest team in the country, if not in the world. They are pacers and are cross-matched. Westmont, the horse, is nine years old, and has a pacing record, with a running mate, of 2 01¾. He was purchased about a year and a half ago by Mr. Hill for $20,000. He is also a trotter and has a record in that gait of 2.15¾. Lorene, his mate, is a six-year old mare, with a record of 2.15¾, and has paced a quarter of a mile in 0.31½. Last season she won twenty-one out of twenty-five races, and has won every race in which she has started this season. Mr. Hill had previously refused $37,000 for the team in Boston. The horses have been doing the Western circuit this summer, and are now in Chicago, but are expected to arrive here on Friday. Mr. Siddall will keep them as a private driving team. He will not permit them to race for a purse or stake, although he may allow them to be driven in exhibition races. Westmont is a black horse and Lorene a chestnut. Both are about fifteen hands one inch high.

A Mystery Explained—Influence of a Dying Child.

From the Chicago Herald.

On the Chicago express from Omaha one day last week were two conspicuous passengers. One was a rather portly, apparently well-to-do gentleman and the other was an infant of tender age. They were not traveling in company, however, and were, in fact, total strangers. But both seemed sad. The gentleman sat most of the time with his forehead resting between his thumb and fingers. He occasionally tried to read, but the magazine seemed to have no interest for him. Not a word escaped his lips and his thoughts seemed far away. As for the baby, her woe was not so silently expressed.

Her voice was quite loud in proportion to her size, and she lifted it on high. The other passengers cast reproachful glances at the poor, tired mother, who did her best to comfort the bairn and at the same time take care of two other little ones, and muttered unspeakable things to themselves, so that the little woman could understand even if she could not hear.

Soon the gentleman's eyes were fixed upon the infant. He seemed attracted where others were repelled. As some of the passengers sought seclusion in the smoking saloon he walked up to the baby and held out his arms. In another second he held the little one close to his face.

His embrace seemed to have that tenderness which influences even a baby. His fine whiskers were fair playthings for the tiny hands. His cravat was pulled awry in the romp. Ere long his eye-glasses hid baby's blue eyes. And in half an hour she was sitting upon his lap biting at his gold watch, which he held within her reach.

Both gentleman and baby now seemed happier. He smiled at the mite's antics and the mite had long since ceased her wailing. Hour after hour passed, and the strange pair were still together. The mother could not keep her child more than ten minutes at a time. The big gentleman was always eager to have the little form again in his embrace. If baby slept, her admirer watched her fondly and hailed her waking as a joy. The hours of an autumn day are long aboard a railway car, but the devotion of baby's attendant did not tire.

He was her inseparable companion and he seemed never so happy as when the little white arms were about his neck and the little soft face was pressed against his lips.

"You are so fond of children," said the mother, "that I judge you have babies of your own."

"Yes. I have," the gentleman replied, a cloud coming upon his face; "I have one—a little babe like this. I am hastening home to see her, as she is—she is—this telegram will show you."

And as the mother read, "Come home immediately—your child is dying," the gentleman's eyes were hid from view against baby's cheek.

General J. C. Paine, the real purchaser of the *Puritan*, is a Boston lawyer.

THE BEAUTIES OF THE HUDSON.

Nature and Art Combine to Make a Perfect Landscape.

Correspondence Charleston News and Courier.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22, 1885.—The Hudson River valley is beautiful from end to end. But no part of it can be lovelier than that which lies in the region of Albany and Troy. A cluster of cities and towns, along and adjacent to the river, gives life and stir, and their many and extensive manufacturing establishments furnish wealth to this whole section. All over the fertile hills and in the smiling valleys are scattered the comfortable homes of the farming population. These homes with their neat and tasteful houses—white, with green window blinds—and their large and well-built red barns, suggestive of abundant harvests and ample supplies for winter, add greatly to the attractiveness of the landscape. The rural population is much denser than ours in the South, and their labor, bringing every acre of land under careful cultivation, goes far toward explaining the wealth and comfort, whose evidences are everywhere apparent.

I enjoyed a most charming drive a few evenings ago through a section of this lovely country. After dinner Mr. and Mrs. B., at whose elegant and hospitable home I was a delighted guest, proposed a drive, and we took our seats in a light, graceful carriage—one of ten or twelve which ornament the stables—behind a pair of fast and spirited horses. The reins were most skilfully handled by a polite son of Erin, who never addressed you without a ready touch of his hat. A little more than two hours carried us over twenty miles of road, and through a country whose local beauties and extensive views I have never seen surpassed. Much of it bore a striking resemblance to the far-famed hills and vales of Kent in England—that charming region has little if any superiority, save in its evidences of age and magnificent wealth. The hedge rows of old England are wanting, and there are no Chatsworths to display their royal treasures. But notwithstanding the absence of these, one might easily imagine himself in that garden spot of Britain's Isle. At one point, as we skirted the brow of the ridge five miles west of Albany, the lovely view which lay beneath and beyond us stretched over a range of more than a hundred and thirty miles. Far away to the south and west the soft, regular outlines of the Catskills faded into the reddening sky. On the right hand, away to the north, the bolder peaks of the Adirondacks thrust themselves up high against the horizon, now growing gray in the fading evening light, while between these distant points long shadows, cast by the lesser foot hills, stretched toward us across the landscape with its graceful undulations of farm and forest.

Over all this loveliness of mountain and meadow and city the slanting sun beams were sifting the softest and most delicious coloring, glancing here and there upon the mirror-like surface of the river between the hills. The entire scene was radiant with that indescribable glow of warmth and haziness of tone which make the glory of Claude Lorraine's landscapes.

The American Craze in London.

Correspondence Charleston News and Courier.

I was surprised to find everywhere in London the American craze so prevalent. The Yankee is much more respected in England than he may imagine, and by "Yankee" the Englishman means all citizens of the United States, for he knows no antiquated distinction between the North and South. The Englishman shaved himself at home until the craze for the American barber shop struck London, but now no Londoner is fashionable unless he patronizes the American barbers. Yet even now such a tonsorial palace as may be seen in New York would astonish all London. The barbers' chairs here are little, cramped things, in which it is impossible to stretch out at one's ease.

American bars, too, are fashionable, alas!—and mixed American drinks take the place of the Englishman's 'alf-and-'alf among the fashionables. American ice cream, American confectionery, American restaurants, American trunks and satchels and American watches, clocks, cutlery and sewing machines are sold in great quantities all over London. In fact, there is scarcely an article of distinctly American manufacture that is not sold extensively in London—not even excepting the American himself—and many a Yankee thinks he is striking an English bargain when he pays five or six shillings for what he could have bought at home for a dollar.

Queen Victoria's Probable Will.

From the London Truth.

The recent changes in the royal family must at least have proved highly profitable to the lawyers concerned. Last year the Queen made a fresh settlement of her private property after the Duke of Albany's death, and now I hear that entirely new testamentary arrangements have been made by her Majesty. The amount of the Queen's private property is unknown, but I am told that, including the Prince Consort's fortune and Mr. Nield's, it exceeds £4,000,000, about $20,000,000, and, besides these, there are the estates in Aberdeenshire, which extend to 33,000 acres; the Claremont property, which her Majesty purchased from the country three years ago at a very inadequate price, and the Osborne estate, which has enormously increased in value, to say nothing of property at Baden-Baden and at Coburg. It is probable that the bulk of the Isle of Wight property will be left by the Queen to the Duke of Connaught, and Balmoral and most of the Scotch property to Princess Beatrice, who also will probably get Claremont. They will be her Majesty's principal heirs, and a very handsome provision has been made for the children of the Duchess of Albany and for the families of Princess Christian and the Grand Duke of Hesse.

Bavaria's King.

From the Philadelphia Times.

It is indeed a strange destiny—that of this royal family of Whittelsbach, the ancestors of which won the crown of Bavaria by their wisdom in council as well as by courage in the field. Of the two brothers who now represent the elder line, one plays with his crown and sceptre as though they were mere baubles; he conceals himself from his people and ruins himself through indulgence in extravagant fancies that border on the vagaries of a maniac. The other is undoubtedly a madman, and as such is confined in the vast apartments of the Chateau of Nymphenberg. He was weak-minded from the start, and lost what little wits he had on the battlefield of Langensalza. The smell of gunpowder, the thunder of artillery, the rattle of musketry, the groans of the wounded and the spectacle of the dead and dying were too much for his enfeebled intellect. He suddenly stood up in his stirrups and tried to catch the cannon balls which an Austrian battery was firing over the heads of himself and staff. At present the madness of Prince Otto has assumed the form of fancying himself to have been turned by some magic spell into a lion, and to suppose that he is shut up in an iron cage like a wild beast. He roars, he springs about his room, and bites and scratches his keepers. When King Louis feels the need of a little excitement to stir him up from his torpor and *ennui* he locks himself up with his brother, and for hours—until they are both ready to drop from sheer physical exhaustion—they romp around on all-fours, jumping over the table, upsetting and smashing the furniture, and filling the chateau with cries that resemble rather the roaring and howling of wild beasts than sounds uttered by human throats. You might, perhaps, fancy that there was a pair of kings of beasts behind the doors of the room, but you would never guess that such sounds were being made by a royal pair who were born to be kings of men.

A North Carolina Duel.

From the Wilmington Star.

It was Col. Edward C. Yellowly, of Greenville, Pitt county, whose death occurred at Asheville. He was a man of character and courage. He got his title in the war and wore it worthily. He was a lawyer and a man of excellent sense. Our first recollection of him dates back to about 1845 or 1846, when he and the late Ferdinand Harriss, of Greenville, had a personal difficulty in the court-house. Harriss went to the Legislature, and, brooding over the matter, he decided to challenge Yellowly. Some time afterward this was done. Yellowly was married and declined, saying in effect that the affair had been arranged and that he had no malice or ill-will toward Harriss. He was again pressed to fight, and finally accepted the challenge. They met at a house on the Dismal Swamp Canal just where the State line runs. Both behaved with the greatest possible coolness. At the first fire both missed. Harriss handed his pocket-book to his second, saying, "Take this, for you will have a use for it. I see the devil in Yellowly's eye, and he is going to kill me." At the second fire Harriss fell dead. He was dressed in a suit of white linen, and, being asked why he chose that, replied that it was best, as it was harder to see, and if he fell it would answer for a shrond. This is the story of the duel as we remember it after a lapse of more than thirty-nine years. Col. Yellowly was held in high esteem by his associates and acquaintances. He was nothing of a duellist in temperament or inclination, but a quiet, affable gentleman.

Prince Frederick William.

Prince Frederick William was born October 19, 1831, and is the only son of King William of Prussia, now German Emperor as well, and Queen Augusta. After careful preliminary training under eminent writers he became a student at the University of Bonn, where he matriculated in the law faculty. He afterwards traveled extensively, and while in England formed an attachment to the Princess Royal of England, eldest daughter of Queen Victoria, to whom he was married January 25, 1858. There are issue six children of this marriage and a number of grandchildren. The well-known picture of "The Four Kings" represents the aged Emperor of Germany, the Crown Prince, his eldest son and the infant great-grandson of the veteran of 88 years, who has still the vigor to review his splendid armies. In 1864 the Crown Prince served in the campaign against Denmark, and in the war of 1866 between Prussia and Austria commanded the left Prussian wing, operating in and from Silesia. During the Franco-Prussian war, 1870–'71, he commanded the troops of Bavaria, Wurtemburg and Baden, was present at Sedan, and in October, 1870, was made a field marshal. With the election of the King of Prussia to be German Emperor, which was a leading result of the humiliation of France, the Crown Prince of Prussia became heir apparent to the imperial throne of Germany.

Ex-Senator Woodbury, of Maine, whose presence in Washington was recently noted, was a colleague of Webster, Clay and Calhoun. He is quite old, though not yet entirely incapable, and alludes to the time when he was in public as a remarkable period.

F. Houghton, of Corning, Cal., will soon have probably the largest poultry farm in the world. He has nearly 5,000 hens, and has his hen-houses built on sleds, so that he can move them from place to place on his wheat stubble.

Bernhardt, after disposing of her real and personal effects, still finds herself $150,000 in debt. The American tour is expected to wipe this out and leave her enough to return to her Paris extravagances again.

Observer and Gazette.

JOHN R. MYROVER, Proprietor.

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

THURSDAY.....OCTOBER 8, 1885.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers will please take notice that we cannot undertake to promise or contract to give any advertisement any specified position in our columns, as the advertising matter has to be classified and arranged for convenience in making up the pages of the paper.

For New Advertisements read both second and third pages.

EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

We make our acknowledgments to the brethren of the press who have kindly made notices of our journalistic venture.

Wilmington is to have a new hotel, the "Orton." The management promise a good one—it will give a "surprise party" to the stomach of many a poor wayfarer down in that direction.

It is now more than two months since the office of State Librarian was made vacant by the death of Capt. Shotwell. If the Library is worth a custodian at all, is it not time this vacancy was filled?

Our thanks are tendered to Mr. F. L. Castex, Secretary of the Eastern Carolina Fair and Stock Association, for the premium list of the fall exhibition, to be held at Goldsboro on November 3 to 6 inclusive.

Mr. John A. Williams, Jr., a well-known citizen of Cumberland county, commences this month the publication of a journal at Asheville devoted to live-stock, dairying, &c. Mr. Williams has long been an authority on matters of this kind, and we wish him much success.

His Holiness the Pope has consented to act as arbitrator between Germany and Spain as to the right of occupancy of the Caroline Islands. As to the ability of the mediator there can be no question: whether the Caroline Islands are worth the exercise of his great talents is another matter.

Louisburg has recently made railroad connection with the outside world, and it indulged in a grand celebration thereof last week. Much jollification and good speech-making characterized the proceedings, and the little town has jumped up to its neck right into the middle of a big "boom."

Interest in the culture of tobacco is being taken in South Carolina. The excellent Charleston *News and Courier*, always strong in good works, has had a series of articles on the subject, and it is probable that our neighbors will go into its culture to some extent. We wish them abundant success, but they must not expect a fortune in a day.

The Wilmington *Star* has completed its eighteenth volume, and through all those years of arduous service it has honorably and ably represented the interests of its State and people. With everything else, journalism has wonderfully progressed in the South during the past twenty years, and the *Star* has kept steadily abreast of those in the van of the march of improvement. Its popularity has been worthily won, and is the fitting tribute which the public pays to its merit.

Pitt county is mourning the death of two prominent citizens—Cols. E. C. Yellowly and J. H. Saunders. The latter was one of the best farmers in his section and was highly esteemed by all who knew him. The former was very prominent at the bar of eastern North Carolina, influential both from his high character and ability. In to-day's issue we publish an interesting article regarding Col. Yellowly from the Wilmington *Star*, who, our contemporary says, was married. We had thought Col. Yellowly was a bachelor.

The "Regulators" of South Carolina have at last gone one step too far, and bid fair to be "hoist by their own petard." The lynching at Edgefield of O. T. Culbreath on the mere suspicion of murder has aroused the people, and some of the participants are likely to suffer for the deed, as the arrest of several guilty parties has been made. There are some crimes so heinous and revolting that the natural impulse is to allow their perpetrators no longer to "cumber the ground;" but the case of Culbreath was an outrage against the law which deserves summary punishment.

There can be no better sign that the Queen of England is losing somewhat of that equipoise of character and soundness of judgment which have stood tolerably well in the place of greatness during her long reign than the eagerness with which she has seized the opportunity to flout Gladstone and welcome the new ministry. We are much mistaken if the coming parliamentary elections do not prove conclusively that the English people have gone beyond the toryism of Salisbury and his sovereign. "Revolutions never go backward," and it would be astonishing if a people worthy of the true greatness of Gladstone as shown in the measures of his government should be content with the empty husks now offered them.

GREETING.

We hope we realize the nature of the duties and responsibilities which belong to the vocation to which we have pledged our time, our energies and whatever ability we may possess. No anxiety for influence, no desire for patronage, no expectation of ulterior aggrandizement, can ever justify devious ways, the surrender of principle or the sacrifice of independence in the calling of journalism. Honesty is the same inestimable quality wherever found; and, if precious in the ordinary walks of life, it should be a priceless jewel to him whose utterances are to pass the ordeal of public criticism, the fruit of whose pen is the coinage of his brain. Many and many a time in the future, we fear, we shall have to charge ourselves with errors of judgment; but if we honestly believed that the day would ever come when we could be brought to use the advantages and the opportunities of the press to achieve success in any measure by the advocacy of wrong and the deliberate support of that which is bad in itself, we had far better turn from the work before the first page of our history is written.

Of course, our own State and section demand our best services. We shall strive to emulate the zeal and admirable course of the former editors of the *Observer*—the gifted E. J. Hale, now wearing the honors of a high trust in a strange land, where he worthily serves the government of his country, and Geo. H. Haigh, whose large nature and generous heart are ever filled with love for his people and his native State. To meet fully the requirements of the present time will be no easy task. The American press has proved itself a potent factor in the forces at work to upbuild this great republic—wonderful in its extent, its resources and its possibilities for the future—and he who enters the newspaper field to-day must go panoplied for competition in a profession pushing and aggressive and full of pluck and progress. Vigilant care for the best interests of our people, unwearied exertions to promote their prosperity and a hearty participation in all their plans for the general welfare will, we hope, be favorably considered in our claims for support and patronage.

It is no strange field in which we begin to labor—the place of our birth, the home of our youth and manhood. We may well hope, then, that our hearts will bound in unison with the joys of our people and melt in sympathy with their sorrows, and that as the years pass by the very ties of friendship that we form may strengthen our capacity to serve the community in which we live.

THE CLOUD PASSING.

The glad light is once more glancing on the hill-tops, the heavy mists and dark shadows are lifting from the fair valleys of Virginia, and the day of the redemption of the old Dominion commonwealth is at hand. And who does not sympathize in the efforts of these people to wrest the State and the government from the grasp of political piracy? Who has not shared in their humiliation at being compelled to endure the domination of Mahone and his henchmen? What though their egotism be incorrigible and their pride first and foremost always? It is a generous failing—this living creed that there, upon its plains and sheltered by its mountains, are such vines and figtrees as the earth cherishes nowhere else upon her bosom; that the lustre of an historic past deepens the glow of the sunlight which touches the waters of the Potomac and the James, and bathes the summits of the Blue Ridge; that the patriotism of Washington and the wisdom of Jefferson have sanctified the land they loved so well, and still inspire the hearts of their descendants.

Gen. Lee, the Democratic candidate for Governor, is making a splendid campaign. Not by the aid of oratory or the gifts of polished rhetoric or a 'silver tongue,' but by the still more powerful magnetism of deep earnestness of purpose and an abiding love for his country and his countrymen, he is drawing the people about him as "with hooks of steel." How admirable is his course compared with the tortuous policy of his competitor Wise and all the political methods which characterize Mahoneism!

It is a gratifying sign of the times that the people are quick to see the need and recognize the merits of such men as Fitzhugh Lee in politics—men whose predominant traits of character are true manhood and unswerving integrity in thought and action; lacking not the mental qualities which inspire respect, while they add to them the nobility of soul which elevates the cause they serve no less than themselves. We need not despair of the preservation of our institutions in their purity when such types of men are placed at the head of our national and State governments.

A GHASTLY TRAGEDY.

We are certainly not disposed to have our readers "sup full on horrors" in the perusal of our columns, and it shall not be our custom to give prominence to the details of crimes and their fearful penalties. But we hope that every reflecting citizen into whose hands this paper may fall will read the account in another column of the fearful act of lawlessness recently committed at Pittsboro. The spectre rears its hideous head in our own midst, and lynch law in all its revolting deformity is at the threshold of our very homes.

The evil "grows by what it feeds upon," and the causes which have superinduced this alarming condition of affairs are entitled to the grave consideration of our people. They began in the court-house, and there the remedy must be found at last. The mass of the people have a great love for that retributive justice which imposes upon crime its due punishment, and when tribunals constituted for that purpose seem inadequate to the execution of the laws the public will be likely to take matters into their own hands.

We would see no man's life or liberty taken away except upon the strongest proof of guilt, but all the grave interests of our social system demand that after the solemn verdict of judge and jury the law must take its course. When this fact becomes fully recognized there will be fewer self-constituted executioners who resort to the mask, the revolver or the limb of a roadside tree.

A FEARFUL CRIME.—A dispatch from Danville, Va., of the 29th ult. states that a negro man named "Bud" Mebane feloniously assaulted Mrs. Hugh Walker, living near Milton, N. C., beat her brutally with a fence rail, and afterwards shot and killed her in the presence of her children. Her husband was at work in a tobacco barn at some distance from the house, when his little son ran down and alarmed him with the cry, "Oh! father, 'Bud' is killing mother!" The wretch made his escape, but was afterwards captured, taken from the officers and hanged.

A CONTRAST.—A gentleman living and farming in this county stated to the reporter that last year he put one acre in tobacco and two in cotton; that he worked both well, giving each every due attention. He realized for the cotton forty-two dollars, and for the tobacco, sold on this market, he realized one hundred and two dollars. These were both good yields, and show what may be done by careful farming.—*Salisburji Watchman.*

Mr. James Deadman, of Jerusalem township, has a peach tree that now has the second crop growing on it. Mr. Deadman says the tree has borne two crops a year for the past three years, and the second crop, while not so large, is always the best, having a finer flavor.—*Mocksville Times.*

Fayetteville—A Former Citizen's Visit and Impressions.

Correspondence of the Observer and Gazette.

OMEGA, Sept. 30, 1885.—This name would naturally be supposed to signify the last place, but it simply means the last quarters on the Asheville & Spartanburg Railroad.

While in your dear old town a few days since I witnessed many things to delight the eye and please the heart. The warm grasp of the hand of so many old and tried friends caused the heart to swell with emotion. Many of those who so warmly welcomed me to the old circle have been with me in prosperity, and some, like myself, have drunk from the cup of adversity; but all joined in a hearty greeting and shake of the hand.

I was pleased to see so much improvement: surely the old mother is on a boom. How beautiful and attractive is the People's Bank building. Then hard by is the new and inviting store of Col. Charles Haigh—a nice one it is. There also is the Nimocks building, beautiful in design, solid in structure, presenting, like its owner, a handsome front, and "there to stay." Well, what shall I say of the Thornton building? It is simply immense. On the train coming back I heard one of the singing school excursionists ask another, "Well, did you see the Thornton building?" The reply was, "I saw only part of it, for it was impossible to see it all in one day." The Scripture says, "He that has eyes to see let him see," but when that was written and handed down such a store as Thornton's had not been thought of, and it was not intended that it should all be seen at once.

The new buildings were pleasant to look upon, but the most pleasing (not to say beautiful) sight I saw were the faces of Col. John Pemberton and Capt. Jim Smith—the former in his neat and comfortable office, ready to sell stamps and collect revenue; the other just dying for October to come, when he will sweep out the postoffice, get behind the bars and with his big heart and smiling face be ready to pass out the mail to the dear people. It surely did me good to see Col. Pemberton so happy in his new field of labor; his whole face seemed radiant with contentment.

Don't it seem strange for Democrats to be holding federal offices? It is still stranger, however, that Radical negro mail agents should be continued in position under a Democratic administration. I have asked for no position myself, and probably my devotion and service to the party would not entitle me to an office, but I certainly want to see others enjoying the benefit of the victory we have secured after twenty years of hard fighting.

I had the pleasure of coming up on the train with Prof. Leonard's Singing School Society. It was composed of the most substantial people of Randolph and Guilford counties. They had an organ on the train, and their enchanting vocal and instrumental music was very edifying and charming to the people on the wayside as well as to the passengers.

I was pleased to see that the Fayetteville graded school was to be continued. A discontinuance of it would have been a great calamity to the community, particularly the poorer class. It was gratifying to see that the trustees were thoughtful enough to pass resolutions complimentary to the young ladies for their invaluable services to the school, but I was somewhat pained to notice that they neglected to erect one resolve to the memory of a young gentleman whom I had the honor to nominate for the position of teacher, and whose appointment gave universal satisfaction.

I am glad to see that W. W. Cole has gone into the circus and menagerie business, and I hope he will be successful; but I don't exactly understand how a combination of circus and sunday school will work. He had a large audience at Asheville, and the performance was said to be fine. I wrote to Mr. Cole, requesting some complimentary tickets, but as he failed to send them I did not go.

Track-laying on the Asheville & Spartanburg Railroad is progressing rapidly, and by Christmas the road will be completed. When it is done Asheville will be within two hundred miles of Augusta and a spot much greater distance from Atlanta.

My next letter will be of matters and things in the "Land of the Sky." W. C.

[Our correspondent, in his passing notice of new buildings, neglected to speak of Messrs Prior & Son's gem of a structure which will nestle in its fair proportions by the side of its big neighbor.—ED.]

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DO NOT ALLOW WORMS TO CHEAT your children out of their living. Shriner's Indian Vermifuge will destroy these miserable pests, and give the little fellows new armors for the battle of Life.

Destroy that Sign.

One may feel that he's getting old, but he naturally dislikes that anything about his appearance should advise others of the fact. Yet nothing does this so effectually as thin and falling hair. No woman wants to marry a man, and business firms hesitate to employ a man, who shows this fatal sign. Parker's Hair Balsam is worth to you, in this regard, more than its weight in diamonds. Use it, and have plentiful and glossy hair. Many have had every trace of grayness removed and bald spots covered by using a single bottle.

GLASS HOUSES.

"They Who Live in Glass Houses Should Mind How They Cast Stones."

"The wicked fleeth when no one pursueth."

It is amusing to see how tender-footed certain blood remedy proprietors have become of late. They make much ado about "apes and imitators" when none are in sight.

The proprietors of B. B. B. would say most emphatically that their remedy stands upon its own merit. Should we attempt to imitate, it would not be those who do not understand the *modus operandi* of that which they offer. Our own long experience in the profession precludes such an idea. The field for blood remedies is large and broad, affording ample room for all present aspirants. We do not desire to close the door against others, neither shall it be closed against us. B. B. B. is the quickest remedy, does not contain mineral or vegetable poison, does not imitate, and is in the field as an honorable competitor for public favor, and its success is without a parallel. 136-1m

What You Want to Know.

Everybody wants an honest answer to this simple question: What is the best medicine to regulate the bowels, cure costiveness and biliousness, help the digestion and give strength to the whole system? People ask us this every day. We answer, Parker's Tonic. It is pleasant to the taste. All the children like it. Mothers all praise it. It will save a thousand times its cost in every family.—*Editor Western Argus.*

"TICKET, SIR."

A Popular Conductor Says:

I consider it my duty to impart some very valuable information to my friends and acquaintances, as many of them know the unpleasant condition under which I have labored in performing my duties as conductor of the Georgia Central railroad.

Some months ago I became afflicted with a severe attack of Rheumatism, and I desire to state how I was cured.

While thus suffering all the agonies of this dread disease and ready to abandon my position through sheer necessity, I was induced to try B. B. B. THE EFFECT WAS TRULY MAGICAL. I had no idea that a medicine could produce such an effect in so short a time. I experienced a wonderful change before using half a bottle. After taking only four bottles, I find myself to-day a well man. This splendid medicine effected a cure no less wonderful in the case of my wife, who was terribly afflicted with Rheumatism. She obtained complete relief and perfect restoration to health after taking the same number of bottles I did.

I take much pleasure in recommending B. B. B. to my friends as FIRST-CLASS. I refer to Mr. R. Schidt, Agent C. R. R., Atlanta, and to C. R. R. Agent, Macon, and Dr. Hape, Atlanta.

J. T. GOODMAN,
Conductor Central R. R.

RHEUMATISM.

Although a practitioner of nearly twenty years, my mother influenced me to procure B. B. B. for her. She had been confined to her bed several months with Rheumatism, which had stubbornly resisted all the usual remedies. Within twenty-four hours after commencing B. B. B. I observed marked relief. She has just commenced her third bottle, and is nearly as active as ever, and has been in the front yard with "rake in hand," cleaning up. Her improvement is truly *wonderful* and immensely gratifying.

C. H. MONTGOMERY, M. D.
Jacksonville, Ala., April 2, 1885. 136-1m

NOTICE!

I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD TO T. W. BROADFOOT & CO. my complete stock of Drugs, Medicines, &c., who will continue the business at my old stand.

I desire to thank my friends and customers for their liberal patronage during the past forty-two years, and I recommend to them my successors in business.

Persons indebted to me by note or accounts will oblige me by settling the same without unnecessary delay.

S. J. HINSDALE.
Oct. 1, 1885. 1t

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PRESCRIPTIONS CAREFULLY PREPARED.
Oct. 8, 1885. 1y

SALE OF VALUABLE Real Estate.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of the Superior Court of Cumberland county, in a special proceeding entitled J. A. Lilly and others *ex parte*, we will on

MONDAY, 16th DAY NOVEMBER, 1885,

at 12 o'clock, M., at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., sell at public auction to the highest bidder, the following described lots and parcels of real estate situated in and near the town of Fayetteville, N. C.:

1st Lot: On Southern side of Person street, in Fayetteville, adjoining the lots now occupied by B. R. Taylor and McMillan Brothers, known as the Cape Fear Bank Building and particularly described in a deed recorded in Book M, No. 3, page 573, Register of Deed's office for Cumberland county. This property is located in the business centre of the town, includes a large and well built brick building, now used as a postoffice and suitable for banking or other business purposes, as well as for a residence.

2nd Lot: On South side of Hay street, adjoining the lots of J. B. Starr, George Brandt and others, fronting about 21 feet on Hay street and running back to Franklin street; also a strip of land included in the wall adjoining the above on the East. This lot is particularly described in a deed recorded in Book G, No. 3, page 153, Register of Deed's office Cumberland county, and is that now occupied by Walter Watson, Esq. It includes a commodious store-room and warehouse, and is located on the principal business street of the town.

3rd Lot: In that part of Fayetteville known as "Campbellton," beginning at the intersection of Broad and Bridge streets, fronting about 150 feet on Bridge street and running back with Broad street about 133 feet. On this lot is a commodious brick building with three compartments suitable for store-rooms.

4th Lot: Adjoining the last-named lot on the East, fronting 42 feet on Bridge street and running back about 134 feet. On this lot is a frame store-house.

5th Lot: Adjoining the lots last mentioned, beginning at the northwest corner of the 3rd lot, fronting 66 feet on Broad street and extending 330 feet to Water street, being lot No. 28 in the plan of "Campbellton." On the Eastern end of this lot is a two-roomed tenement house.

6th Lot: Adjoining the last named lot on the north, fronting 66 feet on Broad street, and running back 330 feet to Water street, being lot No. 29 in the plan of "Campbellton." On this lot is a two-roomed tenement house fronting on Water street, and one six roomed tenement house fronting on Broad street.

7th Lot: Adjoining eastern half of the last named lot, fronting 66 feet on Water street and extending westward 166 feet to a lot sold to J. Jones by G. W. Ballard. On this lot is a two-roomed tenement house.

The five (5) lots last named are particularly described in a deed made by G. W. Ballard to H. Lilly and recorded in Book O, No. 3, page 544, Register of Deed's office for Cumberland county, and will be subdivided to suit purchasers.

8th Lot: An undivided one-fifth interest in a parcel of land containing about eighty acres, situated on Haymount, near Fayetteville, and known as the "U. S. Arsenal lots," and particularly described in a deed made by Cameron, Secretary of War, to Jno. D. Williams and others, recorded in Book S, No. 3, page 650 Register of Deed's office for Cumberland county. This last named parcel of land is well located, and much of it is suitable for subdivision into lots for residences.

The sale of the above described property is made under order of the court for division among the heirs of the late H. Lilly, and will be subject to confirmation by the court. Intending purchasers will please examine title before day of sale.

Terms of sale: One-third of the amount bid payable in cash on day of sale; balance on a credit of six and twelve months, secured by notes with approved security and bearing interest at six per cent. from day of sale. Title retained until purchase money shall be fully paid.

H. W. LILLY,
R. T. GRAY
Commissioners.
Oct. 6, 1885. Oct. 8-5t

SALE OF LAND.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of the Superior Court of Cumberland county, rendered in a cause entitled Lilly and Gray, Administrators, *vs.* J. M. Edge and others, we will on

MONDAY, 16th *DAY OF NOVEMBER*, 1885,

at 12 o'clock, M., expose to sale at public auction at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., two tracts of land lying in Cedar Creek township, Cumberland county, the first tract being known as the "Downing" land, adjoining the lands of V. Downing and others, and containing 578 acres, more or less, and the second tract adjoining the first and containing 93 acres, more or less, both tracts being those that were conveyed by J. M. Edge and wife to J. C. Blocker by way of mortgage registered in Book V., No. 3, page 283, Register of Deed's office for Cumberland county, and particularly described by metes and bounds in said mortgage.

Terms of sale Cash.

H. W. LILLY,
R. T. GRAY,
Commissioners.
Oct. 6, 1885. Oct. 8-5t

Valuable Store for Sale!

UNDER AN ORDER OF THE SUPERIOR Court of Cumberland County, made September 1st, 1885, I shall offer for sale at public auction at the Market House in Fayetteville, on Thursday, October 15th, 1885, at 12 o'clock M.

The Hurt Store,

situated on North side of Hay Street, in Fayetteville, N. C., a few doors West of Market House, and at present occupied by M. E. Dye, Esq.

The above is one of the most valuable locations for business in Fayetteville.

Also at same time and place, an undivided one-half interest in One Hundred and Thirty-two Acres of Land, lying on or near C. F. & Y. V. R'y, about four miles North-west from Town.

Terms of Sale:—One-fourth Cash; balance in six months time, at 8 per cent interest from sale. Title reserved till purchase money is paid.

For further particulars address either of the undersigned.

J. C. STEDMAN,
Commissioner.

C. W. BROADFOOT,
Attorney.
Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 1, 1885.
September 3. 134-0t

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A fresh arrival EVERY WEEK—(carefully examined,) of elegant

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Full Cream "Tar Bell," the delight of every one.

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Pure Italian—in 1-16 packages—fresh, and a beauty.

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New catch—A No. 1 Mess, as fine as ever offered. No. 2—Handsome; No. 3, very cheap for quality.

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Fulton Market BONELESS, and Dried for chipping.

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Sugar (mild) cured, California and North Carolina—Selected with much care.

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Can buy for 10 cents more Tin-Ware at HEADQUARTERS than any house in the city. Examine GEO. A. THOMSON'S.

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Bring your Parents or Pennies
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will find
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GEO. A. THOMSON.
September 3, 1885. 134-tf

FAYETTEVILLE BOOK STORE

Under New Management.

HAVING PURCHASED THE ENTIRE STOCK, GOOD WILL, &C., OF THE

Fayetteville Book Store,

We would announce to the public that we intend putting in a much larger stock of

Books, Stationery, Fancy Articles, &c.,

Than has been shown in Fayetteville since the war. And we have determined to

REDUCE PRICES

On all articles in our line to "ROCK BOTTOM."

School Books

A specialty. Books not in stock ordered promptly.

PAPER, PENS, PENCILS, &C.—Good, bad and indifferent, always on hand.

As soon as we can make arrangements for a suitable building we will consolidate the Book and Music Store, but for the present both will be found as heretofore, where our friends will be welcome.

McNeill & Co.
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"Money Saved---Money Made!"

DETERMINED TO INCREASE MY BUSINESS,

HAVE MY PLACE KNOWN

—AS THE—

Cheapest Store in Town,

I WILL SELL MY LARGE STOCK OF

DRY GOODS,

FRESH and DESIRABE GOODS, JUST RECEIVED, "CHEAPER" THAN They can be Bought "Anywhere Else."

"IN THE RING."

Owing to the Large Competition in the CLOTHING BUSINESS, I will sell my Complete and Large Stock of Clothing—Men's, Youth's and Boys—at Greatly Reduced Prices.

"MORE STEAM."

Also a Heavy Stock of BOOTS and SHOES—All Grades, and All Kinds, at the Very Lowest Rates.

SOLE AGENT FOR THE

A. A. Battles Shoe;

BEST IN THE MARKET—EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED OR MONEY REFUNDED.

☞Come and see and be convinced.

GEO. ROSENTHAL,
Market Square,

Opposite B. E. Sedberry,
Fayetteville, N. C.
September 24, 1885. 137-3m

Valuable Turpentine and Farming

LANDS FOR SALE

IN CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

2,574 Acres by Actual Survey.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE SUPERior Court of Cumberland County, at Fall Term, 1884, the undersigned Commissioners will offer at public sale, at the Market House in Fayetteville, on

TUESDAY, 3rd NOVEMBER, 1885,

that immense tract of land known as the Neill McFadyen lands, lying in Cumberland County on the waters of Rockfish, Juniper and Nicholson Creeks, in Quewhiffle and Seventy-first Townships, between the Turnpike and Centre Plank Roads.

The land has been thoroughly surveyed and platted by D. G. McDuffie, and has been subdivided for sale, into four tracts.

No. 1 contains 726 acres of best quality round pine; lies to the western end on Rockfish Creek.

No. 2 contains 914 acres of best quality round pine; lies next to No. 1 on Nicholson Creek.

No. 3 contains 458 acres; has been worked some for turpentine many years ago, but will bear back-boxing; is good for farming, and has a valuable mill site on Lightwood Branch. It adjoins No. 2.

No. 4 contains 476 acres; will readily bear back-boxing; adjoins No. 3, being separated by Lightwood Branch, and lies to the eastern end of the whole, containing some good farming land.

Purchasers desirous of first-rate turpentine lands are invited to examine these lands, and for information relative to them are referred to T. S. Lutterloh, E. L. Pemberton and D. G. McDuffie. The plat, with description, may be seen with the undersigned.

Terms of sale, cash.

R. P. BUXTON,
GEORGE M. ROSE,
Commissioners.
Oct. 5, 1885. oct 8-139-4t

Cumberland House.

I AM NOW FULLY PREPARED TO ACCOMMODATE the TRAVELLING PUBLIC.

Am Nearer and More Convenient to the Depot than Any Hotel in Town.

All I ask is a trial, as I shall spare no effort to please.

D. H. BELL.
Proprietor.
October 1, 1885. 138-6m

MILLINERY!

I HAVE JUST RETURNED FROM NEW YORK AND BALTIMORE, HAVING SELECTED A

Fine and Beautiful Stock of Goods,

COMPRISING ALL THE MOST FASHIONABLE STYLES OF

Hats, Bonnets,

FANCY FEATHERS,
BIRDS AND RIBBONS.

—IN FACT—

All the LATEST Novelties in MILLINERY,

Which I will be happy to show to ALL, feeling assured that they will be pleased, not only with the Goods, but with the PRICES.

☞*Next door to Mr. Sheets's Furniture Store, on Green Street.*

Respectfully,
Mrs. JOHN SHAW.
October 8, 1885. 139-tf

Fayetteville Graded School.

THE NEXT TERM OF THIS SCHOOL will open on Monday, September 21st, 1885. Scholars from outside of Cross Creek solicited. The Trustees call special attention to the advantages of this institution. Reasonable terms will be made, and good board can be obtained for children at fair rates. For further particulars apply to

CHAS. HAIGH,
W. N. TILLINGHAST,
J. W. McNEILL,
Trustees.

P. E. SEDBERRY, President.
September 10, 1885. 135-4t

Observer and Gazette.

THURSDAY.....OCTOBER 8, 1885.

ABOUT TOWN.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

S. J. HINSDALE—Notice.
MRS. DYE—New Fall Goods.
MCNEILL & CO.—Book Store.
MRS. JOHN SHAW—Millinery.
LILLY AND GRAY—Real Estate.
LILLY AND GRAY—Sale of Land.
ROSE & LEAK—Fall and Winter.
BROWN & RODDICK—New Goods.
G. A. THOMSON—Still Hea iquarters.
A. S. HUSKE & CO.—To Our Patrons.
T. W. BROADFOOT & CO.—Drugs, &c.
PEOPLE'S NATIONAL BANK—Statement.
BUXTON AND ROSE—Commissioner's Sale.
FAYETTEVILLE NATIONAL BANK—Statement.

THE EVENING NEWS.—The new daily, published by Mr. R. Frank Peterson, made its appearance this week—a neat sheet, well-gotten up with reading matter and a good advertising patronage. We hope it will prosper and prove of lasting benefit to the town.

VERY HANDSOMELY QUARTERED.—We stepped in and took a cursory view of the new establishment of Col. Charles Haigh the other day. The building is certainly most admirably adapted to the demands of his business—of fine pitch and indepth, comodious and convenient in all its arrangements. The large and attractive stock is well displayed, and the proprietor is now better than ever prepared for the fall and winter trade.

OUR NEW OUTFIT.—While we have endeavored to present as neat an appearance as possible this week, and flatter ourselves that we are not altogether unworthy to go into good company, we want our readers to understand that these are not our "other clothes," as we have an order now in New York for an entirely new and handsome dress—tasteful electrotype head, body and display type, in which we hope to present ourselves before the footlights on or about the last of this or the first of next month.

THE CROATAN INDIANS.—On the 20th inst. Fayetteville will be visited by a party of excursionists from Robeson, consisting of a large number of the Croatan Indians under the superintendence of Prof. Hamilton McMillan. They say they are coming to enjoy a day in Fayetteville, bring their families and buy some goods. It is to be strictly an excursion of "Lol the poor Indian," without any admixture of the Caucasian or African element. We will welcome them cordially and give them 'the best we've got in all our shops.'

DANCING CLUB.—The Fayetteville Dancing Club was organized last Monday night, Maj. W. F. Campbell presiding. Mr. Herbert Lutterloh was elected President, Mr. J. C. Huske Vice-President, Mr. S. H. Strange Secretary and Treasurer.

The President *pro tem.* appointed the following Enrollment Committee: Messrs. E. L. Pemberton, J. R. Williams, H. R. Smith. The next meeting will be held at the Armory on the evening of the 12th inst., after the company drill.

The Executive Committee will be appointed by the incoming President.

THE FAYETTEVILLE BOOK STORE.—Mr. George H. Haigh has sold the entire stock, good will, etc., of his book business to Messrs. McNeill & Co., who will continue the business at the old stand for the present. The new firm has plenty of ability and enterprise, and will be prepared to meet all the wants of the public.

Mr. Haigh retires with the best wishes of his friends and customers, and in whatever business he may hereafter devote himself he will win and retain entire public confidence.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—On next Thursday and Friday, the 15th and 16th insts., Mr. H. McD. Robinson, Superintendent of public schools in Cumberland county, will hold his monthly examination of applicants for teachers' certificates—the whites on Thursday and the colored applicants on the day following.

We have once or twice had the pleasure of attending these examinations, and were very favorably impressed with the excellence and thoroughness of Mr. Robinson's system. He is painstaking, exhaustive and strictly impartial, and his labors cannot but redound to the benefit of common school education.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE UNION HOME AND HOSPITAL.—The last "pounding" was not as liberal as expected, and it is hoped that those who could not help at that time will do so at once, as the institution is in need of funds, &c. The following persons contributed at the recent "pounding:" Mrs. R. P. Buxton, Mrs. M. A. Baker, Mrs. K. Lewald, Mrs. T. D. Haigh, Miss Henrietta McLauchlin, Mrs. G. P. McNeill, Mrs. Joseph Utley, Miss Kate Smith, Mrs. J. C. Haigh, Jr., Mrs. John Daingerfield, Mrs. A. H. Worth, Mrs. F. H. Wood, Mrs. A. B. Williams, Mrs. Monaghan, Mrs. Geo. Myrover, Mrs. J. C. Thomson, Mrs. J. C. Haigh, Sr., Mrs. T. J. Green, Mrs. J. A. Gainey, Mrs. Geo. Brandt, Mr. John C. Culbreth.

THE APPROACH OF WINTER.—But a few weeks will elapse before winter with its severities, and bringing with it many pressing needs, will be upon us. It is true, holidays and festivals come in its train, and seasons of merry-making come and go, despite the rains and the snows; but too often, alas! warmth has died out of the hearthstone, and gloom and darkness take possession of the chimney corner. Ah! it is the poor who know what pitiless power moves with the blasts of winter and "rides upon the storm."

As the season advances remember the modest wants of our Union Home and Hospital. In the face of many serious difficulties, this deserving charity has lived in our midst to warm many a heart with comfort and accomplish good that will never be fully known. Then help the ladies, whose generous, loving hearts have moved them to this task, and whose sweet sympathies have poured balm on so many wounds.

The best among us will never know the worth of the labors and the sublimity of the virtues of the quiet, modest little women who grace our family circles. God blesses it all, though, and crowns it in the end.

THE NEW POSTOFFICE.—"There's retribution in history." So Gov. Vance said in his inaugural speech in January, 1877. And truly it does seem so, especially in political history. He who was deemed guilty of an offense worse than malfeasance in office, and was deprived of his position in 1875 because he chose to exercise the rights of a free citizen, is again the custodian and disseminator of the United States mails at this place. The position under government which Capt. J. B. Smith holds is nothing more than a just recognition of the claims of one of the best and most useful Democrats in this Congressional district.

HOW OTHERS SEE US.—The Richmond *Whig's* editor has recently been enjoying a visit to Fayetteville; he has also been sharing in some of the blessings which nature showers upon our people, and has the following to say gracefully of the town and two of our esteemed citizens:

> The scuppernong grape is one of the cherished institutions of North Carolina, and we have been much gratified to receive a box of this luscious fruit from John P. McLean, Esq., of Fayetteville, N. C., who, besides being a public-spirited citizen, has a model farm, orchard and Vineyard in Cumberland county, of which Fayetteville is the county-seat. The region roundabout is famous for its grapes, the celebrated Tokay Vineyard (now belonging to Congressman Wharton J. Green) being within two or three miles of Fayetteville. On a recent visit, we were glad to see that the old town and its vicinage have begun a new career of progress and prosperity; and most fervently do we wish this career the most abundant fruition in every blessing. Mr. McLean has made a consignment of scuppernongs to Mr. J. D. McIntire, of this city, as an experiment.

JURORS.—The following good men and true have been drawn to serve as Jurors at the next term of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, commencing the 2nd Monday in November and continuing three weeks:

First Week—L. R. Cook, G. W. Wade, W. R. Godwin, S. J. Walton, P. H. Briggs, Walter Watson, James Dodd, R. B. Strickland, T. J. Johnson, E. L. Royals, P. P. Hall, I. J. Ray, C. A. McKethan, Joseph Bullard, John Smith, W. L. Horne, Joseph Barefoot, J. M. Clark, R. O. Beard, Wm. Barnes, N. F. Smith, A. M. McLaurin, W. G. Adams, W. J. D. Haywood, J. K. McLeod, Lewis Owen, A. J. Pate, Furney Tart, Henry Williams, Jr., D. W. Biggs, D. Smith, M. J. Brock, A. W. Whitfield, Thomas McGilvary, John Johnson, A. J. McDonald.

Second Week—Enoch Hall, E. M. Hall, Henry Bullard, Noah Riley, Jonathan Evans, Jr., Jerry Dawson, Lev. Hair, Lev. Carter, A. E. Anderson, A. Overbaugh, L. J. Dorman, Elijah Shepherd, L. McDonald, H. E. Chance, D. T. Horne, W. P. Pope, L. C. Gillis, L. A. Bain.

Third Week—D. H. McNeill, W. G. Holmes, D. McLauchlin, Malcolm Black, A. A. Williford, J. P. Thomson, H. H. Ray, A. R. McNeill, J. H. Buckingham, W. H. Morrison, Gray Faircloth, Jesse Newton, J. F. Phillips, D. A. Autry, D. G. Blue, David Whitehead, Wm. Powers, Archie McCraney.

One week of this court will be devoted to criminal business entirely.

EXQUISITE FALL STYLES.—Nothing will so completely unhinge the ordinary much-to-be-desired equipoise and equilibrium of her pretty little head, and come so near running a woman fairly wildly with delight, as a "duck" of a hat or a "love" of a bonnet.

Our reporter, who knows from his experience of himself, that "a thing of beauty is a joy forever," obtained permission to perambulate the millinery establishments, and enter to a small extent the *arcana* of their mysteries.

On Green street Mrs. Shaw, assisted by Miss Mallett, was busy opening new goods, filling show-cases and preparing for the fall opening. She showed us a splendid collection of trimmings—birds, feathers, laces and velvets—and there are already many beautiful hats and and bonnets ready for the purchaser.

Miss Mary Smith and the young ladies with her displayed the treasures of box after box—rich, elegant bonnets and jaunty walking hats—one bonnet, especially, is a marvel of exquisite taste and delicate workmanship. The styles are exceptionally handsome and the prices reasonable.

Mrs. M. E. Dye's grand opening takes place to-day and to-morrow, and the ladies can see for themselves the many lovely articles displayed. Mrs. Dye's commodious store is filled with choice goods, embracing many novelties, which will surely try the self-denial of poor human nature and make an alarming hole in a pocket-book—though a little money will go a long way this season.

LEAK—MURCHISON—A BRILLIANT MARRIAGE IN THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—On Wednesday, 7th inst., at 12 o'clock, M., the marriage of Mr. W. F. Leak to Miss Annie Murchison took place, the Rev. Dr. H. G. Hill performing the ceremony. Exquisite taste had been employed in the floral adornments of the altar and chancel—beautiful devices in leaf and flower greeting the eye, together with the horse-shoe—symbol, we devoutly trust, of the pure joys and unclouded brightness of the happy pair's wedded life. Dr. Hill, in solemnizing the rite, was very eloquent and feeling in his brief address. As the bridal party entered the church Professor Limeback at the organ poured forth the delightful music of his improvisations.

The following was the order of entrance: J. W. Murchison, Dr. H. W. Lilly, best man; H. Lutterloh, J. R. Williams, Duncan Rose, A. M. Fairley, ushers; next came the waiters as follows:

Mr. E. L. Pemberton and Miss Maggie Williams; Mr. W. N. Williams and Miss Nannie Shepherd; Mr. H. McD. Robinson and Miss Janie Williams; Dr. J. A. Hodges and Miss Kate Murchison. After the waiters came the bride and groom.

The groom is a young man very highly esteemed in society circles throughout the State, and is the junior member of the well-known and trustworthy firm of Rose & Leak, successors to H. & E. J. Lilly, who did an immense dry goods business here before and for a short time after the war. The fair bride is the third daughter of the late Col. John R. Murchison, a gallant Confederate officer who gave his life for his country's sake, and her rare loveliness and many accomplishments have made her hosts of friends who wish her all felicity in the new life. Mr. and Mrs. Leak left on the 1 P. M. train to make a Northern tour.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.—The Board of County Commissioners met at the court-house on Monday last—present: T. G. Hall, chairman; N. R. Blue, A. A. McCaskill, Wm. J. Kelly, W. C. McDuffie. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved, sundry bills were presented and allowed, and the following additional business was transacted:

Mary E. Jordan was discontinued from the poor-list. Burrel Bailey was allowed $1 for one month. Bobert Braddy was ordered to the poor-house. Cloth and shoes were allowed to the inmates of the poor-house as per bills filed.

The insolvent account for the July term of the Superior Court was submitted and allowed.

The citizens of Flea Hill township presented a petition to change the public road, which was read, and the clerk was instructed to issue the usual notice.

Kenneth Raynor tendered his resignation as constable of Carver's Creek township, which was accepted.

John C. Buie and M. L. McLeod were relieved of poll-tax.

W. G. McLauchlin offered his bond as inspector of naval stores, which was accepted and ordered to be registered.

A petition to establish a public road in Carver's Creek township was laid over until the next meeting.

R. W. Thornton was granted license to retail spirituous liquors at his present place of business on Person street.

THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A NEW FIRM.—Dr. S. J. Hinsdale announces to-day that he has sold his stock of drugs, medicines, &c., to Messrs. T. W. Broadfoot & Co., who will continue the business at the old stand on Hay street and Market Square.

The retirement of Dr. Hinsdale takes from active participation in the affairs of the business community one of our most prominent and influential citizens. Thoroughly conversant with all the details of his large business, he is also a practical and experimental chemist of great research and wide experience, standing, in this respect, without a superior in North Carolina. No better meed of praise can be given to this gentleman than to note the fact that every druggist in Fayetteville—of high standing throughout the whole State for skill, integrity and ability, Messrs. H. R. Horne, B. E. Sedberry and the late J. N. Smith—enjoyed for years the tutelage and experience of Dr. Hinsdale.

The new firm of T. W. Broadfoot & Co. presents very strong claims for popular favor and confidence. Mr. T. W. Broadfoot has for years been engaged in the business, part of the time as a partner of Dr. Hinsdale, and is a skilled pharmacist, Capt. J. B. Broadfoot stands high in the community as a man of unimpeachable integrity and excellent business judgment and capacity. They will deserve a large measure of success, and we believe they will achieve it.

GRACEFUL BOWS TO OUR CITIZENS FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD.—Speaking of the recent changes in the Fayetteville postoffice and of the political record of our Congressman, the Durham *Recorder* pleasantly says:

> Maj. James B. Smith has been appointed postmaster at Fayetteville, *vice* Maj. R. M. Orrell, suspended.
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> Maj. Orrell has not been a very offensive partisan, and his exceeding personal popularity has rendered him an acceptable servant among the people, and while all good Democrats thought a Democrat should have the office, Maj. Orrell's reappointment would not have affected the interest of the Democratic party in Cumberland.
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> Maj. Smith goes into the office with preeminent qualifications, having for a long series of years served as clerk in the Fayetteville postoffice under his uncle, Mr. George Lauder. Maj. Smith is a thorough-going, uncompromising Democrat, and his appointment will no doubt give universal satisfaction in his county, especially in the town of Fayetteville.
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> The Hon. Wharton J. Green, the able and indefatigable representative of that Congressional district, has the grit in his craw to demand changes in his district, and when he says move a man his constituents, having implicit confidence in his wisdom, all say Amen! and the removal takes place. He has displaced more Republicans and put in more Democrats than any Congressman except Hon. James W. Reid in the State has been able to do; and the fact is due to his untiring zeal in doing his duty. While the Cape Fear district is noted for the intelligence of its people, they have recently, within the past two years, become the *Greenest* set of people known in the State.

LOCAL TWINKLINGS.

The road over Haymount is now in good condition, thanks to the judicious supervision of Hon. Geo. M. Rose, the overseer.

The first frost of the season was observable on the morning of the 5th inst. Very tender vegetation seriously felt its effects.

Miss Rountree, representing the Atlanta *Sunny South*, was in town in the interests of the paper last week.

Messrs. Rose & Leak are having a cash railway put up in their store for the better convenience of business.

Rev. J. J. Gregg was very agreeably "pounded" by his friends and parishioners in Campbellton on Monday evening.

Capt. John H. Robinson has taken the position of bookkeeper for the well-known and long-established business house of Mr. E. F. Moore.

Mr. H. L. Cook has been granted license by the Supreme Court to practice law. We heartily wish him success in his new profession.

Mr. W. Roddick, of the firm of Brown & Roddick, is in the city. Mr. W. W. McDiarmid, editor of the *Robesonian*, visited Fayetteville last week.

A fine bay horse of superior style and beauty, a recent purchase of Mr. Pembroke Jones, arrived per Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley train on Monday afternoon.

The new stores of Messrs. Nimocks, Prior and Thornton are rapidly approaching completion. Our business streets are assuming the style and elegance of city thoroughfares.

Mr. R. T. Gray, a prominent lawyer of Raleigh, attorney for North State Improvement Company has recently given his many friends in Fayetteville the pleasure of a visit.

For assistance in making certain changes and improvements in this issue we are indebted for favors to Mr. J. E. Garrett, book and job printer, and to Mr. Lee Glover, of the Excelsior job office.

Mr. O. W. Pearce, of Jacksonville, Fla., an esteemed former resident of Fayetteville, is at his old home looking after the interests of his vineyard. He relieves the montony of business by occasionally "wearing out" somebody at whist.

There are now two gratifying religious revivals going on in the county:—one in Campbellton, conducted by the Rev. J. J. Gregg, which has been blessed with several conversions, and one in Seventy-first township, conducted by Rev. Messrs. McLean and Townsend.

There was a very pleasant hop at the armory of the Independent Light Infantry last evening—nothing gorgeous like Fayetteville does on her big, stated occasions, but a nice dance to open the season and pave the way for other festivities.

Mr. Charles Haigh left the other day for Ann Arbor, Michigan, where he will complete his studies in the magnificent course of chemistry and physics of that institution. Mr. Jennings Pemberton accompanied him to take the same line of study.

Col. J. B. Starr will in a short time commence the work of taking down the brick building on the corner of Hay and Donaldson streets, and will erect upon its site a handsome three-story structure with mansard roof, iron and glass front, &c. Those who know Col. Starr's correct and faultless taste will rest satisfied that his new enterprise will be worthy of the town.

MARRIED.

CLARK—WARNER.—At the residence of the bride, in Carthage township, Moore county, Mr. I. N. CLARK to Miss PIETY WARNER.

DIED.

GRAHAM.—In Bladen county, on the 3rd inst., Dr. NEILL GRAHAM.

McLEAN.—In Harnett county, on the night of the 5th inst., Dr. HUGH MCLEAN, aged 26 years.

Fayetteville Market.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 7, 1885.

N. C. BACON—		North Carolina,	00@50
Hog Round,	10@00	Northern,	1.00@1.25
Sides, (N C)	0@11½	HIDES—	
Hams,	14@00	Flint—good	10@11
WEST. BULK MEATS—		" damaged,	5@6
Sides,	7@7½	Dry Salt,	9@10
Shoulders,	5@6	Green,	4½@5
WESTERN BACON—		IRON—	
Sides,	8@8½	American,	3@4
Hams,	14@15	Swedes,	5@6
Shoulders,	6½@7	LARD—	
BAGGING—	10½@11	North Carolina,	11a12½
BEEF—		Western,	9½@12
On foot,	3@4	LEATHER—	
Dressed,	5½@7	Upper	35
BEESWAX—	20@22	Sole,	25@29
BUTTER—		Harness,	28@32
North Carolina,	20@25	MOLASSES—	27½@35
Northern,	25@35	NAILS—	
COFFEE—		10 penny—basis	$2.85
Java,	22	PORK—	7@8
Rio,	9½@10½	POTATOES—	
COTTON YARN—	90	Sweet,	30@40
COTTON TIES	1.15a1.50	Irish, new	75@1.00
CHICKENS—	15@25	SALT—	95
EGGS—	17½	SUGARS—	
FLOUR—		Coffee,	5½@6½
N. C. Fam.	$4.50	Granulated,	7½@9
Wes. Fam.	5.00@7.25	SHEETINGS—	6
FODDER—	75	SHUCKS—	50
GRAIN—		TALLOW—	4@5
Corn,	75@80	WOOL—	15
Oats,	55@60	SPIRITS—	
Rye,	1.00@1.10	Corn Whiskey,	2@4
Peas,		Rye Whiskey,	4.00
HAY—	50@1.25	Apple Brandy,	3.00

Cotton and Naval Stores Market.

COTTON.—The market opened on Monday of this week very firm at 8¾ for Middling, and advanced on that day to 9, at which price it has since ruled very strong, that being the ruling price of yesterday.

NAVAL STORES.—Spirits was steady yesterday at 29, with sales at that price.

Rosin was quiet at prices ranging from 60 cents for Common to $2.50 for fine grades.

Crude Turpentine—Hard $1.00, Yellow Dip $1.40@$1.50, Virgin $1.50.

Wilmington Market.

By Telegraph to the Observer and Gazette.

WILMINGTON, Oct. 7, 1885.—Middling cotton quiet at 9¼; Spirits firm at 32; Rosin firm at 75 cents for Strained and 80 cents for Good Strained.
WORTH & WORTH.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6, 1885.—Cotton quiet and steady at 10 1-16; Spirits steady at 34½@35; Rosin quiet and easy at $1.02 and $1.10.

TO OUR PATRONS!

WE HAVE NOW BEEN BEFORE THE Public for Four Years, and we take this occasion, as the OBSERVER changes hands with this issue, to thank our patrons and the public generally for their confidence as well as for the liberal portion of their trade they have bestowed upon us. We trust that we may continue to merit the same, and hope to increase our business as the times, our town and State improve.

We have advertised our goods and wares in this paper under its different managements, and we expect to continue to do so under the present auspicious one.

In thanking our friends for their past patronage we wish to say that if there has been any lack of proper attention or omission on our part, they were "errors of the head and not of the heart," and further, that if in the future anything of the kind should occur, a reminder of the fact will find us ready to make amends and to apply the proper remedy.

Under the sign of

A. S. HUSKE & CO.,

we expect to continue to keep in our stock of

FANCY GROCERIES

The FINEST GOODS Ever Brought to This Market,

and as improvements are made in the production and cure of food we propose to give the people of this section the opportunity of purchasing the BEST at the LOWEST possible rate.

Our Flours, Coffees, Teas, Sugars, Meats, Canned Goods—either Meats, Vegetables or Fruits—are all unsurpassed.

Our stock of

TOBACCO and CIGARS

is complete. We have no hesitation in saying we have another success in our

F. I. L. I. 1793 Cigar.

Everybody is pleased with it because it gives satisfaction and is a better smoke than any five-cent Cigar they have ever been able to buy.

Under the sign of "H. H. H.,"

HUSKE'S HARDWARE HOUSE,

there will ALWAYS be found a complete line of

HARDWARE.

Building Hardware and Nails a Specialty.

Locks, Hinges, &c., in great variety.

CARPENTER'S TOOLS, AXES, SHOVELS, SPADES, &C.

Pots, Ovens and Spiders,
Fire Dogs, Tongs and Shovels.

—TO ARRIVE—

in a few days, a line of

Pocket Cutlery

that will compare favorably with any stock in North Carolina.

☞Orders by mail will receive our careful attention.

A. S. HUSKE & CO.
Oct. 8, 1885. 139-tf

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

Fall and Winter Season,

—1885.—

F. R. ROSE. W. F. LEAK.

ROSE & LEAK

TAKE PLEASURE IN INVITING THE public to inspect their large and attractive stock of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods, Cloaks, Shawls, Jerseys, Hats, Shoes, Trunks, Carpetings, Oil Cloths, Notions and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods. All these articles are to be seen in large quantities and full lines displayed on the two floors of their new store opposite the People's National Bank.

In the Dress Goods Department they can show the largest and most complete variety of new and stylish Dress Goods that have ever before been brought to this market, including Silk and Satin Rhadames, Surahs, Canvass effects, Bouretts, Cashmeres and richly embroidered robes, Black Silks, &c., &c.

Special attention has been paid to Trimmings, Buttons, &c., to match. Rich Velvets in plain and brocades, of all shades; Beaded and Lace Fronts; Worsted Laces and Braids of all widths for trimmings. In short, all that is required to make up a stylish suit.

Their line of Cloaks and Wraps was made for them especially, and they will take pleasure in showing them. They have added a well selected stock of Ladies' Night Robes and Chemisetts. These articles are beautifully made and prices very reasonable.

Their Carpet Department is complete. They can show you the finest Velvets, Body Brussels, Tapestry and 3-plys, down to the cheapest Cotton Chain. They have the largest lot of Rugs ever exhibited in Fayetteville, also Mattings and Oil Cloths.

They have added a line of Upholstery Goods for curtains and for covering furniture, consisting of Reps in different shades, Felt Cretonnes, also Curtain Rods and Rings.

They are constantly increasing their trade in Fine Shoes, and have on hand the best work made in this country. To accommodate those who prefer the "Ziegler Shoe," they have made arrangements *with the manufacturer* by which they will always carry a full line of Ziegler Shoes for ladies, misses and children.

Rose & Leak are the sole agents in Fayetteville, N. C., for that celebrated kid glove made only by P. CENTIMERI, the best glove to be had. Every pair fully warranted. Beware of gloves with an assumed name, intended by its *resemblance in sound* to pass for the genuine P. CENTIMERI make!

To jobbers they can offer a large stock of Pants Goods, Sheetings, Notions, Shoes, &c. They have in store 10,000 yards of Pee Dee Plaids, for sale by the bale, piece or yard, at a very small margin on actual cost.

Rose & Leak have received their Cash Railway; come in and see it running on full time!

Rose & Leak are ably assisted by the following popular and reliable salesmen: Messrs. John A. Steel and Wm. B. McMillan and Major Wm. F. Campbell, each one of whom enjoys the confidence of the public.

Thanking the people generally who have reposed confidence in the house and have patronized them so liberally in the past, Rose & Leak would respectfully ask a continuance of their favors.

Oct. 1st, 1885. oct 8-139-3t

CLOTHING! CLOTHING!

TO ENUMERATE THE MANY STYLES IN CUT AND FABRIC EMBRACED IN MY

Fall and Winter Stock

—OF—

CLOTHING,

WOULD OCCUPY TOO MUCH SPACE, BUT THERE ARE SEVERAL LINES WORTHY OF SPECIAL MENTION:

In

DRESS SUITS,

I HAVE

English Worsted In Diagonals and Baskets,
Both Black and Brown,
Four Button Cutaway Styles.

ALSO,

ELEGANT PRINCE ALBERT
Coats and Vests,

WITH A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF

FANCY CASSIMERE and WORSTED PANTS

TO SELECT FROM.

BUSINESS SUITS

IN BLACK, BLUE AND BROWN WORSTEDS, BESIDES MANY NEW STYLES IN FANCY CASSIMERES.

In Round and Square Cut Sacks and Cutaway Frocks.

YOUTHS'

DRESS AND BUSINESS SUITS—A GREAT VARIETY, BOTH IN SACKS AND FROCKS.

FOR BOYS,

such an assortment was never before shown in this market—in School Suits and Suits for Sunday wear.

All the NEWEST SHAPES in

Stiff and Soft Hats,

In Black and Colors, can be found in my stock.

I have given special attention to the selection of

Underwear for Men,

—and in—

Furnishing Goods Generally,

I make an unusual display. In this line I have added to my stock

Underwear for Boys,

Also,

Boys' Dress Shirts and Linen Collars.

My sales have been unusually large this season, but almost daily arrivals of New Goods enable me to keep up stock.

Have just in an extraordinary line of

Overcoats for Men and Boys,

—AND—

Men's Fine Shoes,

Buttoned, Laced and Gaiters, Machine and Hand Made, of best makes.

Call and make your selections, and I guarantee to make prices satisfactory.

H. R. NOVITZKY.
The Fayetteville Clothier.
Oct. 8, 1885. 139-tf

HOLLAND HOUSE,

SHOE HEEL, N. C.,

COMFORTABLE ROOMS, NEW FURNITURE, CONVENIENT TO BOTH DEPOTS.

Table supplied with the best the market affords No pains spared to make guests comfortable. Give us a trial.

C. A. HOLLAND.
October 1, 1885. 138-3m

NEW STORE. NEW GOODS.

BROWN & RODDICK,

27 HAY STREET, FAYETTEVILLE.

We take pleasure in informing the general public of Fayetteville and surroundings that we are now opening a FULL LINE of

DRY GOODS,

and will take pleasure in showing them to ALL who may favor us with a call.

We call your special attention to our

BLACK GROS GRAIN SILK,

22 INCHES WIDE--$1.00 AND $1.25;

COLOR AND WEAR GUARANTEED.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR THESE BRANDS IN THIS CITY AND IN WILMINGTON.

—OUR STOCK OF—

DRESS GOODS

CANNOT BE SURPASSED, CONSISTING OF

BLACK AND COLORED CASHMERES--All Grades.

COMBINATION SUITS,

IN FLANNEL, HOMESPUN AND CASHMERE—PRONOUNCED BY ALL TO BE THE MOST STYLISH GOODS EVER BROUGHT TO THIS MARKET.

Hamburg Edging; Oriental, Italian, Swiss and Irish Laces in Great Variety and Cheaper than Ever.

KING'S RUFFLING—STILL IN GREAT DEMAND.

A Splendid Assortment of

LADIES,' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S WRAPS AND SHAWLS.

A Few Pairs of those Full Regular Striped HOSE left, at 12½c., Worth 50c.

Our 21c. CORSET Still Leads.

Call and see our stock of

BLANKETS AND BED COMFORTS;

It will pay you to examine them.

LADIES,' CHILDREN'S and GENTLEMEN'S UNDERWEAR—in all Grades.

We have not space to enumerate all the BARGAINS we are every week receiving. A personal visit only will cover that ground. You will find it to your interest to look over our stock before making your purchases.

BROWN & RODDICK,
27 Hay Street, Fayetteville.

☞Branch Store North Front Street, Wilmington, N. C.

October 8, 1885. 139-tf

NEW FALL GOODS IN GREAT VARIETY.

All of the LATEST Novelties

—IN—

MILLINERY

—AND—

FANCY GOODS.

Grand Opening About the 8th and 9th of October.

October 8, 1885. 139-tf MRS. DYE, 17 Hay St.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE FAYETTEVILLE NATIONAL BANK,

AT FAYETTEVILLE, IN THE STATE OF N. C.,

At the close of business, Oct. 1st, 1885.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts,	$329,571 81
Overdrafts,	3,746 33
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	50,000 00
Other stocks, bonds, and mortgages,	2,566 90
Due from approved reserve agents,	7,619 87
Due from other National Banks	3,007 45
Due from State Banks and bankers	3 638 54
Real estate, furniture, and fixtures,	10,820 78
Current expenses and taxes paid,	1,292 08
Premiums paid,	4,230 00
Checks and other cash items,	395 39
Bills of other Banks,	515 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and pennies,	956 26
Specie,	11,158 75
Legal tender notes,	10,165 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation,)	2,250 00
Total,	$441,994 16

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$200,000 00
Surplus fund	36,000 00
Undivided profits	5,332 42
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000 00
Individual deposits subject to check	99,287 54
Demand certificates of deposit	12,680 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	60 00
Due to other National Banks	2,178 02
Due to State Banks and bankers	1,047 38
Notes and bills re-discounted	40,408 73
Total	$441,994 16

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, } SS.
County of Cumberland. }

I, WILLIAM HUSKE, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. WM. HUSKE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Oct. 1885.

W. T. TAYLOR, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

J. D. WILLIAMS,
E. J. LILLY,
A. A. MCKETHAN, JR., } Directors.

Oct 8, 1885. 1t

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The People's National Bank,

AT FAYETTEVILLE, IN THE STATE OF N. C.,

At the close of business, Oct. 1st, 1885.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$231,820 43
Overdrafts	3,025 00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	32 000 00
Other stocks, bonds, and mortgages,	136 00
Due from approved reserve agents	4,720 21
Due from other National Banks,	7,461 04
Real estate, furniture, and fixtures	6,765 54
Current expenses and taxes paid	1,017 70
Checks and other cash items	4,027 17
Bills of others Banks	1,239 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and pennies,	350 75
Specie,	2,574 00
Legal tender notes	11,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, 5 per ct. of circulation	1,440 00
Total	$307,576 84

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$125,000 00
Surplus fund	31,000 00
Undivided profits	5,122 67
National Bank notes outstanding	28,800 00
Dividends unpaid	338 00
Individual deposits subject to check	74,442 98
Demand certificates of deposit	2,224 25
Cashier's checks outstanding,	8 00
Due to other National Banks	640 91
Notes and bills re-discounted,	40,000 00
Total	$307,576 84

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, } ss.
COUNTY OF CUMBERLAND, }

I, G. P. MCNEILL, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. G. P. MCNEILL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Oct. 1885.

JNO. B. BROADFOOT, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:

E. F. MOORE,
J. B. STARR,
GEO. BRANDT, } Directors.

Oct. 8, 1885. 1t

A Waif.

Humboldt once saw in South America a parrot which was the only living creature that could speak the language of a lost tribe.—*Darwin's Descent of Man.*

Sad fate is thine, most desolate of birds,
Left lonely 'midst the strangers in the land,
Repeating still the old familiar words,
That none can understand:

Words soft with love or plaintive with regret,
Fierce battle cries and songs dead poets sung;
The voices of a nation linger yet
Upon thy tuneless tongue.

Words that once, haply, as with trumpet call,
Could thrill strong hearts, or draw forth prayer through tears,
Now, in a vain, unmeaning jargon, fall
Harsh on our alien ears.

Who were they, that lost people of the past,
Whose speech has fallen to a parrot's tone,
Whose name and memory have sunk at last
To syllables unknown?

I hear thee answer, speaking evermore
That strange forgotten language of the dead,
But only dwellers on the shadowy shore
Can tell what thou hast said.

They come not at thy call, the vanished faces,
Nor any answering voice from out Time's wreck!
Vain is thy waiting in the vacant places
For those who come not back.

Wait on, poor waif: the ways of Time are strange;
Men like a dream will pass, nor come again;
But firm, 'midst all the tides of Chance and Change,
Thy story shall remain.

—*Chambers's Journal.*

Ensilage in the South.

C. W. Garrett in Southern Live-Stock Journal.

From my experience I feel assured that we can, with a system of ensilage, produce butter and beef as cheap as any portion of the old, thickly-settled States. I may, before another season, give you my experience with pea vine and corn ensilage.

While I see there are many who advocate the filling of silos without cutting the materials, I cannot believe it is economy to do so, and when packed in silo must be very difficult to get to feed. Still, as I have never tried the uncut, I cannot say it is not practical. I shall continue to cut mine, at least for the present. I have tried corn, sorghum, pearl millet, rye, soja beans and pea vines. My stock of all kinds eat the latter with more relish than any of the others, and I consider it the plant above all others for the South for raising stock—hogs, cows, mules and horses—all like it, never seem to tire of it, and it is, without doubt, richer in the element necessary to the production of fat and milk and butter than any of the others named. While, from experience, I feel assured that as many pounds can be produced on the same quality of land as any of the others, while it is a much surer crop, stands the extremes of wet and dry better, I am sure I have made ten tons of pea vines to the acre, and feel assured a much larger production is possible. I think it possible to make fifteen tons per acre. I have made very good hay from pea vines grown on thin land, but if the land is rich and the vines rank I have found such when cured (the vines) to be too coarse and woody, and stock would not eat them well. In ensilage, the vines are always eaten, however large they may be.

I never sow peas broadcast except when planted for fertilizing purposes.

You ask if I would advise you to feed this kind of ensilage to horses and mules? If it is sound, I think there is no longer danger in it. I have been feeding my horses, mules and cows on it now for nearly five years; three-fourths of all the long forage they have eaten has been ensilage. I have seen no bad effects from it and am now putting up about 300 tons a year, about two-thirds of which is made from pea vines, the other 100 tons from corn after the corn is sufficiently hard or cured to pull from the stalk without damage. For the past two years I made 100 tons each year from such corn. I permit the corn to remain on the stalk about one week longer than the time when the fodder would be pulled. I then gather the corn and throw in small heaps as if to haul home. I then cut the stalks (fodder attached) at the ground, and haul to silos. Cut into three-fourth inch lengths and tramp into the soil. The stalks from ear to ground are full of saccharine matter, and in my opinion are in better condition to make good ensilage than at any other time of their growth. This ensilage does not cost me $1 per ton, and I consider it the best I ever made except from pea vines. I have fed this to all my stock without any ill effects, and they did well upon it. From my experience, I can but feel that where horses and mules have not done well on ensilage it arose from its not being properly made.

For a green forage crop I prefer cattail or pearl millet to any of the sorghums. The latter may do better in your section.

The Improvement of Corn.

Prof. George E. Morrow.

Any variety may be improved by continued careful selection of seed. Any variety will deteriorate if seed be carelessly or unwisely selected. Selection of seed from the bin, especially if this be done in spring, only gives opportunity for the choice of satifactory ears. Selection in the field in early autumn gives opportunity to determine the comparative earliness of the chosen ears and the character of the stalks on which they were produced. And in both these respects great differences will be found in corn of the same variety, even when growing in the same hill. It is impossible to combine all good qualities in variety. Early maturity is especially desirable north of say forty degrees, but remarkable earliness is never accompanied by large size and great productiveness. Our experiments (at the Illinois Industrial University) have shown that, one year with another, we get better results from varieties which are not at either extreme as to size or time of ripening. This would be still more true in regions farther north until localities are reached where early maturity is the chief essential.

THEY STRUCK HIM UNFAVORABLY.—"Did the audience strike you favorably?" was asked of a young orator who had come home from a political meeting in the next county.

"Not very. It would have struck me more favorably if I hadn't had on my best suit."

"How's that?"

"Well, you see, I can't wash the egg off."

An ancestor of Jay Gould, Nathan Gould, was the richest man in Plainfield, Conn., in 1670. Statistics show him to have been worth $1,500.

Connecticut's apple crop is immense.

An Act

TO

Repeal section one thousand two hundred and forty-five of The Code, and to require the registration of deeds.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

SECTION 1. That section one thousand two hundred and forty-five of The Code be stricken out, and the following inserted in lieu thereof: No conveyance of land, nor contract to convey, or lease of land, for more than three years, shall be valid to pass any property, as against creditors or purchasers, for a valuable consideration from the donor, bargainor or lessor, but from the registration thereof within the county where the land lieth: *Provided*, however, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to contracts, leases or deeds already executed, until the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six: *Provided further*, that no purchase from any such donor, bargainor or lessor shall avail or pass title as against any unregistered deed executed prior to the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, when the person or persons holding or claiming under such unregistered deed shall be in the actual possession and enjoyment of such land, either in person or by his, her or their tenants, at the time of the execution of such second deed, or when the person or persons claiming under or taking such second deed, had at the time of taking or purchasing under such deed actual or constructive notice of such unregistered deed, or the claim of the person or persons holding or claiming thereunder.

SEC. 2. That any person or persons holding any unregistered deed or claiming title thereunder, executed prior to the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, may have the same recorded without proof of the execution thereof: *Provided*, that such person or persons shall make an affidavit before the officer having jurisdiction to take probate of such deed, that the grantor, bargainor or maker of such deed, and the witnesses thereto are dead or cannot be found, and that he, she or they cannot make proof of their handwriting. Said affidavit shall be written upon or attached to such deed, and the same, together with such deed, be entitled to registration in the same manner and with the same effect as if proven in the manner prescribed by law for other deeds.

SEC. 3. That all deeds, contracts or leases, before registration, except those mentioned in section two hereof, shall be acknowledged by the grantor, lessor or the person executing the same, or their signatures proven on oath by one or more witnesses in the manner prescribed by law, and all deeds so executed and registered shall be valid, and pass title and estates without livery of seizin, attornment or other ceremony whatever.

SEC. 4. That for the probate of all deeds, including the privy examination of any *femme covert* executing the same, executed prior to January first, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, the clerk shall receive fifteen cents for each name, and the register, for recording the same, fifty cents for the first three copy sheets, and five cents for each additional copy sheet.

SEC. 5. That this act shall be in force from and after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, and the Secretary of State shall cause the same to be published in at least three newspapers in each judicial district in the State for six weeks before said day, and shall furnish to each clerk and register in the State a copy thereof, to be posted in their offices. The register of deeds of each county shall post or cause to be posted in four public places in each township of his county, for sixty days prior to the time when the act shall go into effect, printed notices explaining the provisions thereof and notifying all persons interested to comply with the provisions of said act.

In the General Assembly read three times, and ratified this the 27th day of February, A. D., 1885.

HE WAS JUST TOO AWFUL.—"Your beau seems very bashful," said a Dayton avenue mamma to her daughter.

"Bashful!" echoed the daughter; "bashful's no name for it."

"Why don't you encourage him a little more? Some men have to be taught how to do their courting. He's a good catch."

"Encourage him!" said the daughter; "he cannot take the most palpable hint. Why, only last night, when I sat all alone on the sofa and he perched up in a chair as far away as he could get, I asked him if he didn't think it strange that a man's arm and a woman's waist seemed always to be the same length; and what do you think he did?"

"Why, just what any sensible man would have done—tried it."

"He asked me if I could find a piece of string so we could measure and see if it was so. Ain't he horrid?"—*St. Paul Herald.*

WHY SHE WANTED TO ELOPE.—"Yes, George, I will marry, but you will have to elope with me."

"Why, Clarissa? Do your parents object to me?"

"No; they think you're just splendid."

"Then why must we elope?"

"Why, George, don't you know that if I elope the papers will speak of me as the beautiful daughter of wealthy parents?"

A gentleman whose family consists of a wife and twin girl babies came in very late one night and went to bed. His sleep was broken, and he tossed and tumbled, and mumbled something about "two of a kind" and a "small pair." "Poor John," murmured his wife; "he is tired and is dreaming of the children."

"What was the trouble at church this morning?" inquired one Dakota citizen of another; "I understand there was a row." "Oh, it didn't amount to anything. Some of the members in the back pews threatened to shoot the minister unless he spoke louder. That was all."

Doctor—(who has been sent for at 2 A. M.): "Madame, pray send at once for the clergyman and, if you want to make your will, for the lawyer."

Madame—(horrified): "And shall I send for the undertaker too, for heaven's sake?"

Only Big Show Coming this Season!

FAYETTEVILLE, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13.

FOURTEENTH ANNUAL TOUR! LARGER THAN EVER!
Novelties in Each Department! The Best in Everything!

W. W. Cole's New Colossal Shows!

Our Circuses, Two Menageries, One Wax Stautary Exhibit, One Theatre Stage, One Bicycle and Skating Experts Co., One Arab Troupe, One Mexican Show, One Museum.

MOST NOVEL SHOW ON EARTH!
A Theatre with a Portable Stage!
All the President's in Wax!
REPRESENTATIVES OF ALL NATIONS!
English, French, German, Italian, Mexican, Arabian and American Performers in Friendly Rivalry.
Every Kind of Exhibition Extant That Will Amuse This Generation!
Mexico and the Mexicans
Represented by Real Idols, Jewels, Weapons, Costumes, Stones, Antiquities, Vacquero Riders and Lassoers, Mustangs, Bronchos, Women and Men.

The Very Best Circus in the World!

LADY RIDERS, LADY TUMBLERS, LADY GYMNASTS, LADY RACING.

A Lady Walks a Ceiling Head Downward!

THE HUMAN FLY—The Great and Only MLLE. AMIE.
Men will Ride Bicycles along Elevated Wires, Lady Skating Champions, Gentlemen Bicycle Champions. The
Greatest Lady Rider Living, Mlle. Elize Aguzzi
20 Clowns COUNT THEM. A Carnival of Momus 20 Clowns

The Austin Sisters, Rose and Emma; the Misses Rosina and Jennie Maretta, Miss Lizzie Harvie; the Misses McIntyre, Cooke, Hassan, Said, Montgomery, Watson, Kimball and many others.

THE ABDALLAH BEN SAID TROUPE of TWELVE BEDOUIN ARABS

James Leon, Mons. Van. Zandt, the Four Livingstons, Robt. Austin, Ernest Cooke, John Worland, Chas. Rench, Geo. Dunbar, Frank Vernon, Gillette Bros., Eddie Evans, John Murtz, Wm. Harvey, Messrs. McIntyre, Cook, Williams, Milton, Good, Green, Marion, Prince Nubar, Little Maurice Campbell, Conklin, and 40 others.

Two Mammoth Menageries
IN TWO TENTS.
Living Hippopotami; SAMPSON, Giant Elephant, Elands, Ibex, Ichneumons, Two Horned Rhinoceroses, all kinds of Elephants, Kangaroos, Emen's, etc., etc.

A LIVING TWO-HEADED COW!
Four Eyes, Four Horns, Two Heads, Two Mouths, Eats with Both Mouths.

THE GRAND STREET PROCESSION DAILY!

Two Performances Daily—Afternoon at 1, Evening at 7 p'm.
TICKETS 75c; Children Under 9 Years 50c.

WILL ALSO EXHIBIT AT
SHOE HEEL, ONE PERFORMANCE, Oct. 12. Sanford, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14.
October 1, 1885. 138-2t

STOVES. STOVES.

WE have a LARGE ASSORTMENT of COOKING STOVES, all numbers. Also OIL STOVES, REFRIGERATORS, ICE-CREAM FREEZERS, WATER-COOLERS, LEMON-SQUEEZERS, TIN TOILET-SETS, GARDEN and DRY-WELL PUMPS, VALLEY GUTTERING, &c.

—ALSO—

CANE-MILLS, COPPER and GALVANIZED EVAPORATORS, STEAM-FITTINGS, BLACK and GALVANIZED IRON PIPE.

McNEILLAN BROS.
July 2, 1885. 125-tf

THE FAYETTEVILLE SEWING MACHINE
—AND—
MUSIC HOUSE!
The Largest in the Town of Fayetteville.
If you wish a
Sewing Machine,
of any kind, call on us.
If you wish a
Piano or Fine Toned Cabinet Organ,
call on us.
Don't fail to give us a call when in town. Orders attended to promptly and satisfaction guaranteed.
J. H. FARRAR, Manager.
Gillespie Street, Next to E. F. Moore.
July 23. 128-tf

Groceries, Groceries.
IF YOU WISH TO BUY YOUR
Groceries and Provisions
Cheap, either at wholesale or retail, call and see
G. & R. INGRAM,
opposite the Postoffice.
Sept. 17, 1885. 136-3m

A. MOORE,
Market Square and Green St.,
DEALER IN
Tobacco, Snuff & Cigars,
LIQUORS OF ALL KINDS.
June 18, 1885. 123-tf

Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley Railway Co.
CONDENSED TIME TABLE NO. 12.
To take effect at 8:00 *A. M., Monday, June 22d,* 1885.

TRAIN NORTH.

	ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
Bennettsville,		8:00 a. m.
Shoe Heel,	9:30 a. m.	9:50 "
Fayetteville,	12:15 p. m.	1:00 p. m.
Sanford,	3:00 "	3:10 "
Ore Hill,	4:25 "	4:30 "
Liberty,	5:25 "	5:30 "
Greensboro,	6:45 "	

Dinner at Fayetteville.

TRAIN SOUTH.

	ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
Greensboro,		9:50 a. m.
Liberty,	11:00 a. m.	11:05 "
Ore Hill,	11:55 "	12:00
Sanford,	1:20 p. m.	1:40 p. m.
Fayetteville,	3:50 "	4:00 "
Shoe Heel,	6:25 "	6:40 "
Bennettsville,	8:15 "	

Dinner at Sanford.

W. M. S. DUNN, Gen'l Supt.
JNO. M. ROSE, Gen'l Pass. Agent.
June 25, 1885. 124-tf

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May 7. 117-tf Fayetteville, N. C.

IMPORTANT SALE
—OF—
REAL ESTATE!

BY AUTHORITY OF THE CLARENDON Bridge Company, and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Cumberland County, the undersigned will, at 12 o'clock on Tuesday, November 3rd, 1885, at the Market House in Fayetteville, expose to sale by public auction *for cash* the several lots and tracts of land that have been held by the "Clarendon Bridge Company," viz:

1st. A lot running from Water Street to Cape Fear River, fronting about 65 to 70 feet on the river, known as the *Sandford Ferry-wharf property.*

2nd. The House and Lot on the north-west corner of Bridge street and Water street, known as "The Toll House,"—*say ⅔ of an acre.*

3rd. The vacant lot between Water street and the river and immediately north of the bridge—*say 1 acre.*

4th. All that portion of The Evans or Dixon Ferry lot and privilege that lies south of Lock's Creek—*say 3 acres.*

5th A lot of about 5 and 4-10 acres north and east of the Newbern Road, and opposite Cade's gate.

6th. A lot of about 5 acres adjoining the above, and immediately north of it, fronting on the Newbern road.

7th. A lot of about 6¼ acres adjoining the above, and immediately north of it, fronting on the Newbern road.

8th. A lot of about 2 acres, including a dwelling house, south of Lock's creek bridge and between Lock's creek and Newbern road.

9th. A lot of about 4 acres, including dwelling house, on north-east side of Lock's creek bridge, between Lock's creek and Newbern road,

10th. A tract of about 20 acres in the fork between Lock's creek and Cape Fear river and extending up to the road that runs between Lock's creek bridge and the Clarendon bridge.

11th. A tract of 44 acres immediately north of the Clarendon bridge, on both sides of the Raleigh road, and extending from the river to Lock's creek—including the improvements and place commonly known as Rome.

12th. A tract of about 193 acres adjoining the above on the north east, and extending from the river to Lock's creek and up the Raleigh road to King's land.

These are valuable lots and tracts of land, and are conveniently located. The 10th, 11th and 12th tracts are very desirable for farming purposes, and a part thereof is well wooded.

N. W. RAY,
Attorney and Commissioner.
CHAS. GLOVER,
Auctioneer.
September 24th, 1885. 137-6t

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Carpenters, Bricklayers, Mill Wrights, Blacksmiths, Plasterers, Stonemasons, and Turpentine Operators:
A FULL LINE OF THE VERY BEST
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ALWAYS on hand a full stock of Wooden, White Gloss and Metallic Coffins and Caskets, Burial Robes all sizes and styles.
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This Hotel has been put in Thorough Repair, and cannot fail to give satisfaction, to the Traveling Public.
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September 10, 1885. 135-3m

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COTTON PLANTERS!
For the better accommodation of my many friends and patrons on the
EAST SIDE of the RIVER,
and, at the same time, for, I hope, my own pecuniary advancement, I have taken charge of and will this season operate the
FORT GIN
at the same stand and the
BRUTON GIN
up on the River Road, in connection with my
Merchant Mills' Gin.
As I propose to put these Gins and Gin Houses in *first-class order* and
Run Them as Gins Ought to be Run,
ON BUSINESS PRINCIPLES,
WITH PLENTY OF CAPABLE,
POLITE AND ATTENTIVE HANDS,
I would respectfully solicit your ginning, fully assuring you that you shall have no cause to grumble *at either the time taken or the manner in which your work is done.*
☞ MR. J. W. TOMLINSON will be associated with me in the personal management of these two gins, and you can rely upon being *treated right* both by him and myself.
My Gins at the Merchant Mills, will be run as usual, and I think I can safely let them stand upon their past record, assuring you that their standard will be fully kept up.
Charges will be the same as usual—
One-Twentioth, Bagging and Ties at Cost.
Thanking all of my former friends for their patronage and kind encouragement, I would respectfully refer my new ones to them.
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133-tf Fayetteville, N. C.

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The sweet gum, as gathered from a tree of the same name, growing along the small streams in the Southern States, contains a stimulating expectorant principle that loosens the phlegm producing the early morning cough, and stimulates the child to throw off the false membrane in croup and whooping cough. When combined with the healing mucilaginous principle in the mullein plant of the old fields, presents in TAYLOR'S CHEROKEE REMEDY OF SWEET GUM AND MULLEIN the most known remedy for Coughs, Croup, Whooping Cough and Consumption; and so palatable, any child is pleased to take it. Ask your druggist for it. Price, 25c, and $1. WALTER A. TAYLOR, Atlanta, Ga.
Use DR. BIGGERS' HUCKLEBERRY CORDIAL for Diarrhœa, Dysentery and Children Teething. For sale by all druggists.
September 3, 1885. 134-1y

Express Steamboat Co.
STEAMER SCHEDULE.
ON and after April 1st and until further notice the Steamer D. Murchison, Capt. J. C. Smith, will leave Fayetteville every Tuesday and Friday at 7 o'clock, A. M., and Wilmington every Wednesday and Saturday at 2 P. M.
A. B. WILLIAMS & CO.,
Agents Fayetteville, N. C.
June 18, 1885 123-tf

HOOPER STORES
FOR SALE.
ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1st, 1885, AT the Market House in Fayetteville, at 12 o'clock M., I shall offer for sale the "Hooper Stores," located on South-side of Hay Street, midway between Market House and Fayetteville Hotel. This property runs back to and fronts on Franklin Street, and has upon it now, Four Brick Stores of convenient size. This is decidedly the best opportunity offered or likely to be offered those desiring to invest in real estate in this place. For plot and further particulars address or call upon the undersigned.
Terms:—One-fourth Cash; balance at six months, with interest at 8 per cent. Title reserved till purchase money is fully paid.
C. W. BROADFOOT,
Executor of Mrs. M. S. Hooper.
September 17, 1885. 136-tf

Administrator's Notice.
IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CUMBERland County. Having qualified as Administrator C. T. A., of David Murphy, late of said county, I hereby notify all persons holding claims against said deceased to present the same to me properly verified, for inspection and payment, on or before September 17th, 1886, otherwise this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said deceased are likewise notified to settle with me immediately.
DUNCAN ROSE,
Administrator C. T. A. of David Murphy.
September 10, 1885. 135-6t

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A REMEDY about which Dr. Joel Branham, Atlanta, said: "*I have examined the recipe,* and have no hesitation in advising its use, and confidently recommend it."
A REMEDY which the Rev. H. B. Johnson, near Marietta, Ga., says he has used in his family, with the "utmost satisfaction" and recommended it to three families "who found it to be just what it is recommended.
A REMEDY of which Pemberton, Inverness, & Dobson say: "We have been selling it for many years, with constantly increasing sales. The article is a staple with us, and one of *absolute merit.*"
REMEDY of which Lamar, Rankin & Lamar say: "We sold 50 gross in four months, and never sold it in any place but what it was wanted again."
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A REMEDY of which Dr. J. C. Huss, Notasulga, Ala., says: "I am fully convinced that it is unrivaled for that class of diseases which it claims to cure."
A REMEDY about which Maj. John C. Whitner, of Atlanta, well and favorably known all over the United States as a General Insurance Agent, says: "I used this remedy before the war, on a large plantation on a great number of cases, *always with absolute success.*"
A REMEDY about which Mr. J. W. Strange, of Cartersville, Ga., certifies that one bottle cured two members of his family of menstrual irregularity of many years standing.
THIS GREAT REMEDY IS
Bradfield's Female Regulator.
Send for Treatise on the Health and Happiness of Woman, mailed free.
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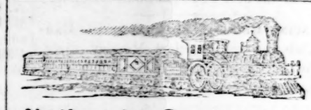
E. E. SMITH,
Principal.
September 10, 1885. 135-1m

Executor's Notice!
HAVING QUALIFIED AS EXECUTOR upon the estate of Daniel McMillan, deceased, I hereby notify all persons having claims against said estate to exhibit the same to me on or before October 2nd, 1886.
NEILL McMILLAN,
Executor of Daniel McMillan.
Fayetteville, N. C.
September 24, 1885. 137-6t



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PROPOSALS ARE INVITED FOR CROSS Ties for the Wilson and Fayetteville Railroad, of the following description. Ties to be (7½) eight and a half feet long, (9) nine inches wide, (7) seven inches thick. To show at least (7) seven inches heart upon each face, to be evenly and smoothly hewed, and squarely butted at each end.
Said Ties to be of Black Cypress. White Oak, Post Oak or Pine. If pine, to be hewed on all four sides. The other to have the bark taken off.
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May 7, 1885. 117-tf

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May 28, 1885. 120-tf

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Leading Druggist and Sole Agent for the sale of PRATT'S AROMATIC GENEVA GIN
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June 11, 1886. 122-6m